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VIENNA SUFFERS EXTENSIVE RUIN BY RAGING MOBS

Great Hotels Are Partly Wrecked and Furnishings Looted—Guests Are Robbed and Injured by Rowdies—Wholesale Destruction Wrought in Shops and Cafes.

WORSE DISTURBANCES ARE FEARED AS POLICE REFUSE TO DO DUTY

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—In the widespread rioting which occurred here today, the New Bristol and the Old Bristol hotels were partially wrecked, and were looted to the second floor.

Inquiries at the hotels disclosed that many guests were robbed of clothing and jewels, in some instances the jewels being torn from their ears. Seemingly the most rowdy elements swept through the inner city. They were joined by the worst criminal classes, committing all kinds of excesses. At 7 o'clock tonight the streets were quiet.

The Associated Press correspondent asked a policeman who idly watched the wrecking of the Hotel Imperial, if there were not sufficient police to handle the situation. He replied: "We are tired of shooting and being shot. These people are hungry and desperate; so are many of us."

ESQUIMALT HEARS HON. S. F. TOLMIE

Minister Appears on Platform With Mr. Dickie—Dismisses Arguments of Hecklers and Wins Audience

Some of the acts of the present Dominion Government designed to strengthen Victoria and Esquimalt as centres of sea commerce, shipbuilding and all its allied industries, were described last night by Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Minister of Agriculture, to a large meeting, held at the Rex Theatre, in the interests of Mr. C. H. Meighen, Meighen candidate in the Nanaimo riding.

Mr. Tolmie would believe that the Esquimalt would be a powerful factor in attracting industrial concerns to this section of the Province, and he said that the people of the community should congratulate themselves on the success of the drydock negotiations.

"I can assure you that the drydock wasn't won for Esquimalt overnight," declared the minister. "We had to fight hard to get it, and the took the last kind of opposition from our men as Lemieux and Fielding and Crerar. Now that you've got it, I feel confident that you will make the most of it. If the opportunities before Victoria and Esquimalt in the way of ocean trade and ship repairing are adequately realized, we need not fear the future of any other port."

Mr. Dickie made an impressive speech, and he was recommended to the people of Esquimalt by Dr. Tolmie as "a man who can give big questions some judgment, a type needed at Ottawa now more than any other."

The Place for Small-Born Orators

"Some of the men who can make flowery speeches in small town schoolhouses and occasionally in the town hall, find when they get down to Ottawa that their voices are not so loud and no one really holds Dr. Tolmie. Men who make a big noise and have nothing to say are soon sized up and thrown into the scrap heap. What Canada needs today is men who know how to put up sensible, clear-cut propositions. I believe that Mr. Dickie is admirable, that qualification aside."

Mr. George, British campaign manager for Mr. T. B. Booth, the Liberal standard-bearer, asked the speakers a number of questions, and endeavored to score a point or two on the Meighen candidates, but Dr. Tolmie and Mr. Dickie were ready for him, and methodically upset one by one the arguments advanced by the heckler.

At the applause of the minister and Mr. Dickie the audience showed unmistakably how it stood.

Major G. Sieman acted as chairman. Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P. for Esquimalt, was the first speaker.

Mr. Pooley said that owing to the season of the year he had been unable to give as much attention to the Federal election campaign as would otherwise be possible, but he was pleased to notice the strength of Mr. Dickie throughout the riding.

"I know that Esquimalt will be on deck to support Mr. Dickie next Tuesday," said Mr. Pooley. "Reports I receive from all parts of my constituency indicate a 100 to 1 landslide for Dickie, and I feel confident that Esquimalt will be one of Mr. Dickie's strongholds."

Mr. Dickie was given a rousing reception and an attentive hearing. He replied to some of the statements made by Mr. Pooley and declared the big need of the country today was stability and common sense, the time for political experimenting such as is proposed by the Liberals and Crerars might come later.

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PACKING HOUSES TO BE TIED UP BY UNION STRIKE

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—A strike of all union packing house employees in all plants where wage reductions were put into effect Monday, was ordered for December 5 by the executive committee of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America.

The strike, which affects all union crafts employed in the packing industry, will involve about 45,000 workers in fifteen cities, according to Cornelius Hayes, president of the Butcher Workers' Union.

Daniel Lano, secretary of the Butcher Workers' Union, tonight issued a statement saying that "all attempts to negotiate a fair adjustment of wage rates by offering an agreement providing for arbitration between packers and employees have failed."

VANCOUVER RAINFALL SURPASSES RECORDS

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—For wetness 1921 can give most years a good start and still flash under the wire an easy winner.

Up to the end of November this year, there have been 55.62 inches, or four feet seven inches of rain in Vancouver, and the year still has forty days to go.

The average precipitation in November is 5.73 inches. This year November only shows 8.99 inches.

YUKON CAMPAIGN IS NOT PICNIC

Capt. Black and Mr. Congdon Encounter Severe Weather in Their Tour of Territory—Former Frostbitten

These disturbances are described as due to the growing scarcity and cost of necessities. They had their inception in a general strike in the industrial suburb of Floridior. The workmen marched to parliament, and were joined by thousands. A deputation demanded abolition of the stock exchange, confiscation of foreign securities, and a more effective food control.

The deputation received an evasive answer, but the strike continued and began the work of destruction. They divided into several columns, one attacking the cafes, hotels and stores, another storming the empty stock exchange, while others proceeded to the shopping district, where they attacked every well-dressed person, and plundered.

Worse Is Feared

Vienna is a awful sight. All cafes are closed and streets are dark. Occupants of the hotels, hearing that the workmen threatened to renew the attack, fled early in the afternoon, and remained huddled in doorways in the residential quarters, begging for shelter. If the rioting is resumed, the police will be inadequate to prevent pillage and murder and the storming of the dwellings of prominent bankers and business men and the Jewish quarter. According to this authority, many persons were injured.

Mounted police tonight scattered the crowds, driving a solid body of workmen back to their home districts.

Demobilization

Upon the issuance today of semi-official statements indicating the abandonment of the campaign for over food and the abolition of all government subsidies, to be effected with the new year, foreign exchange became demobilized. The crown went from \$1,128 to \$8,500 per dollar. Stocks meanwhile dropped sharply all over the line. The bank rate was raised to 8 per cent from the former figure of 7 per cent.

The index figure issued today showed that the cost of living had increased 34 per cent in the past month. All classes of wage earners are formulating new demands to meet the increasingly pressing economic situation, to comply with which the only apparent measures possible are new currency issues.

POLLING EQUIPMENT LOST IN SPRINGFIELD

WINNIPEG, Dec. 1.—The first attempt resulting in failure when a boat capsized in Lake Winnipeg, an effort will now be made to take ballot boxes to portions of Springfield constituency, or the northern confines of civilization, by dog team.

There are said to be 500 voters affected. One of the men who accompanied the dogs waded 148 miles back to report the misadventure, which resulted in all the ballot boxes and election papers being lost.

JUDGES APPOINTED FOR NOVA SCOTIA

HALIFAX, Dec. 1.—Advices received here from Ottawa announce the appointment of T. E. McLean, K.C., of Halifax, to the vacancy on the supreme court bench of Nova Scotia, caused by the retirement of Mr. Justice Arthur Drysdale. It is further announced that Colonel J. W. Margeson, of the pensions board, Ottawa, and formerly a member of the Nova Scotia Legislature, has been appointed county court judge for Queens, N.S., succeeding Judge Forbes, resigned.

WILL BORROW FIVE MILLIONS

Bill Introduced in Legislature Will Provide One Million for Land Settlement and Balance for Public Service

Borrowing powers aggregating five millions is asked in a bill brought down in the Legislature last night by Premier Oliver, four millions to be devoted to the public service of the Province, and one million for land settlement purposes.

During the coming fiscal year the public service will require about \$2,350,000, as shown by the estimates of revenue and expenditure, and with fixed charges of over sixteen millions, the other two millions will in all likelihood be required.

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The securities to be issued under the Bill will bear interest not exceeding 6 per cent, payable half-yearly. The loan will mature on June 28, 1926. The Bill was given its first reading.

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MINISTER DEALS WITH ORIENTALS

Hon. H. A. Stevens at Vancouver Meeting Declares His Attitude on Question of Immigration Is Unchanged

OPPOSES INFUX FROM ASIAN SIDE

Reviews Record of Two Parties in Regard to Exclusion—Premier Meighen's Stand at Empire Conference

VANCOUVER RAINFALL SURPASSES RECORDS

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—Opposing unrestricted immigration of Asiatics in British Columbia, Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, told a big audience in the Hotel Vancouver tonight that his attitude towards the question was unchanged, that he had opposed Asiatic immigration because Asiatics were incapable of assimilation.

The law was a month's cleanup for the mine, whose production has averaged nearly \$100,000 a month for the last thirty-five years. Its weight was 455 pounds, and the robbers apparently were plaited out of the fact that the miners had scraped preparatory to melting down bullion today for shipment. The amalgam was in the form of balls of gold mixed with quicksilver.

Two men on mill duty were overpowered and bound with ropes, and telephone wires at the mine were cut.

Successful assimilation meant inter-marriage, and the Oriental was unfit socially, mentally, morally and industrially, to take any part in the development of a national type. He also based his objection on the inherent right of an organized assembly to fix the terms upon which it admitted to its jurisdiction persons from other countries.

Reviewing the history of the Anglo-Japanese war, Mr. Stevens said that treaty "without reservations" is what Wilfrid Laurier had adhered to

in his immigration policy. Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, he said, went to Japan and concluded the agreement which tied the hands of the Canadian people.

Not only had the last Liberal administration failed to take any steps to safeguard the interests of Canada in this respect, but it disallowed many provincial acts passed by British Columbia from time to time in an effort to cope with the growing menace of Asiatic immigration. The present government, Mr. Stevens pointed out, had not disallowed a single act of this kind passed by the British Columbia legislature since 1911.

Mr. Stevens accused members of the Liberal Opposition of opposing during the debate on the Federal Franchise Act, a clause which Mr. Stevens had introduced and lodged in the act to prohibit the voting power of Orientals, notwithstanding the fact that if a person was admitted into the country he had a right to vote. Further, said the Minister, Mr. MacKenzie King was asked during a campaign speech what his attitude on that question was and he had replied that the present war was not the time to discuss the matter. At the London conference, added Mr. Stevens, Premier Meighen had fearlessly stood for abrogation of the treaty, which was unfair to Canada.

For the meetings here, the Arctic Brotherhood Hall has been packed to capacity of eight hundred people. Messrs. Black and Congdon have held the platform together, going into national and local issues and replying promptly to charges which the other had made. Each is permitted to interrupt the other to clear up a point, while the audience is kept on its toes.

There has been no lack of criticism, but also no rancor between the candidates. The audience has been unusually attentive.

An unusually early spell of forty below weather has made the going cold, but has left a few thin spots on the ice. Captain Black broke through the ice on Stewart River near the mouth of Clear Creek while coming from Mayo by dog team. He reached the river in time to save his dog, but by so doing avoided serious freezing, although his face and hands were badly frozen before he reached Dawson.

Mr. Congdon has traveled the same route, totalling hundreds of miles.

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NEGOTIATIONS WAIT ON DEVELOPMENTS OF NEXT FEW DAYS

Sinn Fein Delegates Go to Dublin to Confer With Colleagues Concerning Government's New Proposals for Irish Settlement—Expected to Return With Answer Monday

NEGATIVE REPLY WILL END PARLEY

Proposals Are Not to Be Sent to Belfast Unless Accepted by Leaders of Sinn Fein—Allegiance Is Crucial Point—Strong Expressions in Favor of Truce

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Indications that the Irish negotiations, apparently hanging by a mere thread for the last two days, would not be fully ruptured before next Monday, if at all, were in evidence tonight.

Robert C. Barton is going to Dublin tonight, and the other Sinn Fein delegates expect to follow him tomorrow. This announcement was made at the Sinn Fein publicity department this afternoon, coupled with the statement that unless the Sinn Feiners were summoned to Mr. Lloyd George's official residence during the course of the evening, there probably would be no further meeting with Government representatives until Monday. This was taken to mean that the Sinn Fein delegates would devote the week-end to a discussion of the British Government's new proposals with Eamonn de Valera and other members of the Dail cabinet.

It was understood the Sinn Fein delegates would return to London on Monday to give the Government the Sinn Fein's final decision regarding the new proposals.

FLOOD AND GALE CAUSE WRECKAGE

Overflowing Streams Offer Serious Menace in Part of Washington State—Wind-storm in Portland District

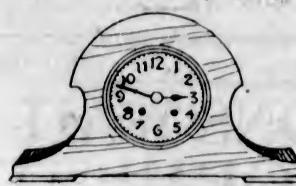
SEATTLE, Dec. 1.—Torrential rain, added to melting snow, caused a sudden flood menace today in the country west of Seattle. The town of Kent was partially underwater, with a stream flowing over the main business street and covering the Seattle-Tacoma Interurban tracks. Portions of highways were inundated, and farmers drove their cattle to higher lands.

Report indicated that the Snoqualmie, Carbon, White and Green Rivers were out of their banks and rising rapidly tonight. The White River had risen 15 feet in 24 hours. Railroads were taking precautions.

From Ellensburg, Wash., east of the Cascade Mountains, the Yakima River was reported 21 inches up and still rising. The flood stage was not expected to be reached for six weeks. The true demand that this be adjourned through adjournment of the conference to a fixed date a month or six weeks hence.

The Sinn Fein publicity department here reiterated this morning that it expected further meetings between the Government and the Sinn Fein delegates, and it is believed arrangements regarding the truce will be considered at the next meeting.

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MOBS IN VIENNA DO MUCH DAMAGE

Raiding of Shops, Wrecking of Hotel Interiors and Smashing of Windows Are Credited to Communists

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—Rioting of a serious nature broke out in Vienna today, following a great demonstration before the parliament building, where red flags were raised on improvised masts. The crowds then began smashing windows and looting shop dealing in articles of luxury. Large crowds also attacked a number of fashionable hotels, most of which are those where foreigners reside.

The New Bristol was the first of these hostilities to be assaulted. Its great doors were battered down, thus permitting the crowds to pour through into the building. They began to break up furniture, some were as high as the third floor, and to hurl bedding and furniture into the mob crowded into the street below. The Old Bristol Hotel later suffered the same fate, its costly furniture being hurled out to the cheering crowd.

The Grand Hotel, the largest in the city, and the Hotel Imperial also were looted. The Vienna police were apparently

helpless, many squads of them being seen standing quietly by as onlookers.

Scenes of plundering occurred throughout the entire city. Thousands of dollars' worth of plate glass was smashed until the principal streets this afternoon looked like the wreath of a hurricane.

Communists expressed their belief that the disturbance was caused by communists originating. It came suddenly during a demonstration against the high cost of food, staged in front of the parliament building, in which many thousands joined. During the demonstrations gangs suddenly appeared in the central part of the city and began their work of destruction.

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SEEK REPARATION FROM GERMANY

Many Persons Have Filed Claims for Compensation on Account of Illegal Warfare—Inquiry Commissioner

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—Already 659 claims amounting to \$2,494,979, have been filed with Major H. S. Speight, of the Department of the Secretary of State, for reparation for illegal acts of warfare committed on Canadians and Canadian property by Germany and her allies during the war. It is anticipated that many additional claims will be made, and that the total losses will run into many millions of dollars.

Sir Douglas Hasen, who has been appointed to investigate these claims, will decide the amounts the claimants are to receive. The claims, after investigation, will be paid from Canada's share of the indemnity secured by Great Britain from Germany on this account.

Canada will receive 4.35 out of Great Britain's 22 per cent of the total reparation assessed against Germany by the Allied nations.

Perhaps the most peculiar claims are those of German residents in Canada for losses alleged to have been suffered by them as a result of the Turkish atrocities in Armenia. There are 91 of these claims, totaling \$1,167,185.

The department has received 119 claims for ships, cargoes and merchandise lost at sea. These claims total \$16,958,379. There are fifty-eight claims, totalling \$1,134,271, based on passengers losing their lives at sea and 194 claims totalling \$239,565 for the loss of personal effects of passengers. The total value of the claims for losses at sea is \$18,501,855.

Claims for losses of property on land total \$2,826,215. Of this the largest amount is \$2,117,154 for goods seized aboard ship. An instance of this is found in the claims for Canadian property seized by the Germans on the wharves at Antwerp. There are eight claims for losses of goods on land, totalling \$157,173, and twenty-five claims for illegal restraint, valued at \$271,898. Under personal injury claims there are forty-two claims, totalling \$279,980.

A commission under the Inquiries Act has just issued an order appointing Hon. Sir Douglas Hasen, Chief Justice of New Brunswick, commissioner to inquire into and report upon any claims which have been made for reparation for damage caused by illegal warfare on the part of the late enemy.

All persons who have already filed their claims are being asked to amplify these on forms provided for the purpose. This will be returned to the reparation commissioner, Department of the Secretary of State, at an early date. General public notice is given that unless claims are made immediately they will not receive due attention.

It is probable Sir Douglas will hold investigations in different parts of Canada, owing to the impossibility of certain classes attending at a central court.

MR. KING TALKS ON WOMEN'S VOTE

Deals With Appeal Recently Issued by Prime Minister—Touches on Tariff Question—Progressive Party

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 1.—Hon. Mackenzie King, leader of the Liberal party, dealt with Premier Meighen's appeal to the women of Canada at his meeting here last night. The Prime Minister, said Mr. King, claimed no responsibility for having given women the franchise. Previous to 1917, he said, the law had been that the Federal law as it stood previous to 1917, these women had the right to a Federal vote when they fulfilled provincial requirements. The Union Government, said Mr. King, had simply restricted voting to those women whom they expected votes.

Mr. King addressed himself again to the Progressive movement, at which he attacked the statement that the issue in the present fight was between free trade and taxation. "There is nobody in this country today standing for free trade," Mr. King declared. "It is nonsense for the Minister to try to frighten the people by putting forward a camouflaged issue." What Mr. Meighen seeks to have the people entirely overlook is the record of his Government during the last sixteen months."

Mr. King again discussed the tariff situation and criticized the Government for its policy in this respect. He concluded with reference to the Progressive movement. He believed the Progressive movement had become really a class movement, and as such was against the best interests of the country at large.

SOVIET'S MINISTER MAY ASK MORATORIUM

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Leopold Krassin, the Russian Bolshevik Minister of Trade and Commerce, is to take up with Mr. Lloyd George the question of Russia's debts and commercial revival. It is learned in Russian official circles that there is a probability of Krassin's suggesting a moratorium regarding Russia's debts, such a measure of relief is granted to Germany.

Mr. Krassin and M. Litvinoff probably will go to Washington before the arms conference ends, in order to enlist United States interest in the debt question.

SOCIAL SERVICE MAN ATTACKS JUDICIARY

EDMONTON, Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the annual convention of the Social Service Council held here this afternoon the judiciary of Canada was attacked by Secretary H. H. Hull for its conduct and especially biased decisions on liquor cases, and suggested impeachment proceedings and removal from their high offices. Mr. Hull stated that he intended to bring in a resolution asking the authorities to make investigations regarding one judge, and an interview afterward stated that he intended to do so. By means, refer to the entire bench.

Mr. Hull would like in some way to force an investigation as to the fitness of this judge to occupy his position on the bench, especially in regard to liquor cases.

"One of the greatest obstacles to law enforcement, with the legislature and the little else," said Mr. Hull, "is the apparent, seeming, biased decisions that are being given by both magistrates and judges. Our opinion, of course, may be due to ignorance of law, but I am convinced that there are judges in Canada whose personal conduct regarding the enforcement of the laws has brought them into such popular contempt that we cannot expect to have our liquor laws adequately enforced unless and until impeachment proceedings, suggested by an outraged public opinion, have been taken against them and they have been removed from their high offices."

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WOULD CHANGE CLASSIFICATION**PLAN RADICAL CHANGE FOR LONDON COUNTY**

LONDON, Dec. 1.—In response to the request of the Ministry of Health, the London County Council has appointed a committee to make recommendations regarding a more efficient administration of London County.

The council has approved the committee's report, the main features of which call for the formation of a new unit, which will absorb the whole of Middlesex and large portions of other counties, while the central government would control practically all central local government.

The City of Greater London is the name suggested for the new unit, which would absorb the whole of Middlesex and large portions of other counties, while the central government would control practically all central local government.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—That the loss of 10 per cent to the railways in the freight car will probably be made up by a proposed new classification of freight. November 1st, which will increase rates to a larger amount than the recent reduction, was brought out at a meeting of the transportation bureau of the Board of Trade.

It is proposed to raise the minimum carried by each car from \$4,000 to \$4,000 pounds. Other proposed changes are to put the sixth class freight in the fifth class rate, the fourth in the third, and so on, which would mean an increase in freight rates.

The meeting went on record as opposing any new classification, and the matter was left in the hands of the chairman, W. F. McIntosh.

British Columbians will enter a very strong protest at a meeting likely to be called in the East.

It was stated that the proposed increases in tonnage rates would be effective almost immediately.

Mr. McIntosh said that the proposed reductions were being worked out to do with the case which G. G. McLean had taken up with the railway commission, which had been for equalization of freight rates and was still unsettled.

DR. BAKER TAKES WITNESS STAND

In Statement Before Commissioner He Denies All Charges Made Against Him—Explanation of Beaver Skin Step

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—Denying all charges made against him in his capacity of chairman of the Provincial Game Conservation Board, Dr. A. R. Baker took the stand today at the investigation which is being conducted by the Royal Commission on the administration of the game board. Dr. Baker said that he had not received any intimation from H. G. Perry, M.P.P., that the game act was being violated in Port George district. The first he heard of it, he said, was when Mr. Perry was quoted in a Vancouver newspaper last August and "blew my character to bits."

"I decided to investigate the traffic in beaver skins," continued Dr. Baker, "and found that they were being shipped out of the country in large quantities. I made the suggestion to the Government that the Indians be permitted to trap beaver skins and that they be purchased by the game board at a reasonable price. In this manner it was hoped to stop illegal traffic in skins. Illegal export of the skins was getting beyond the control of the board. The traffic practically amounted to a combine, and fines were merely a licence to continue the trade."

Dr. Baker made the statement that Game Warden C. H. Dawson was dismissed by the chief of the Provincial police without the authority of the game board. "He was discharged for disobeying my orders," said Dr.

Baker, reproved by the court for making counter-charges against H. G. Perry. Magistrate Shaw said that he would not listen to an attack on Mr. Perry in that gentleman's absence.

There was a brief passage of arms between Dr. Baker and Mr. Donaghy.

The hearing was adjourned until Monday afternoon to permit of the attendance of certain members of the Legislature.

William Lyon Mackenzie King, "RODOLPHE LEMIEUX."

Mackenzie King was sent in a wire received by Hon. Mr. Mackenzie King at Guanacaste yesterday and handed to the press today. It reads: "Rumors circulated by progressives as to attitude of Liberal candidates in Quebec toward you are absolutely unfounded. In my name and on behalf of my Liberal candidate colleagues of Quebec, I declare that we have but one leader and that he is William Lyon Mackenzie King."

"RODOLPHE LEMIEUX."

Judgment Welcomes Prince

JODHPUR, British India, Nov. 30.—The Prince of Wales arrived here yesterday for a stay of three days. He was welcomed with enthusiasm. In marked contrast to Monday's greeting at Ajmere, which, although not unfriendly, was cool.

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Additional Estimates of Expenditure Tabled in House Provide Quarter of Million for Unemployment Relief

Supplementary estimates tabled in the Legislature yesterday afternoon call for an additional outlay to those set forth in the regular estimates of \$939,037.19. Provision has been made for \$250,000 for the relief of unemployment, and \$200,000 to repair the damage done by floods along the line of the Pacific Great Western Railway.

By departments, the chief items of additional outlay are:

Agriculture \$ 45,200

Attorney-General 127,000

Education 20,200

Finance 21,200

Labour 22,000

Land 25,303

Provincial Secretary 21,700

Public Works 61,564

Railways 25,000

Capital outlays 256,372

Compensation for tubercular cattle calls for \$25,000, in addition to the \$60,000 already voted; \$10,000 in addition to \$10,000 voted for motorists' pensions; \$10,000 for supplementary legislation and general law costs; \$25,000 in addition to \$50,000 in the main estimates for all investigations in the Peace River section; \$20,000 for destitute poor and sick, for which the main vote was \$25,000; grants in aid of flood sufferers, \$10,000 for flood relief and \$3,000 for port co-operation.

The original estimates tabled two weeks ago called for an aggregate expenditure for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1922, of \$17,927,297.16 on current account, and \$3,475,165.88 on capital account, a grand aggregate of \$21,402,462.82.

While these estimates have been under consideration in the House there have been some reductions, but while it is not possible as yet to total these reductions, it is not likely that they will, all told, exceed a million.

If that proves to be the case, the addition of the supplementary vote, totalling \$939,037.19, will just about cover the net reductions effected and leave the aggregate outlays for administration for the fiscal year at about the total of the main estimates.

Lady Byng referred to a recommendation made by Mr. Justice Hodder for a woman magistrate, and she strongly favored this. "I suppose I am talking politics, and I am not supposed to, but I cannot help it," she admitted. "You must realize how good and fine she is. She must understand the mentality of a girl. She becomes too frightened to tell the truth, and so often shields the man who has done her wrong."

Lady Byng said: "The full rights of the law should be accorded to a man who abuses a girl mentally deficient, and flogging is often a punishment which brings best results. It may sound brutal, but so is the law."

Lady Byng related some of her experiences in England as a member of the housing committee for her district, where she declared that ninety per cent of the illegitimate children born in institutions were children of mental defectives. "Do you want that to go on here?" she asked.

"I have been told that mental deficiency in Canada can be stopped in 25 years with the small population of this new country. Is not that worth while trying for?"

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CANADA'S PRIME MINISTER

No feature of the present election campaign stands out in the foreground with such distinction and conviction as that embodied by Mr. Arthur Meighen, the Prime Minister. His opponents, as well as his followers, have had to acknowledge that he is in downright earnest, and that there is the ring of truth and sincerity in all his utterances. Although one of not overbearing physique, his mind has triumphed over any bodily frailties in the campaign, during which he has been called upon to make efforts that would tax the strength and enthusiasm of anyone endowed with less courage, or who entertained any doubts about the justice of the principles which he advocated. His swiftness in capacity to analyze the weakness in any argument advanced by his political opponents is a faculty which has never been enjoyed heretofore with similar strength by any of our public men. In expounding his own policies he is clear and logical, and is able to mass details and facts in such a manner that he cannot fail to inspire confidence in the belief that his motives are good, his principles sound, while the whole country knows that his political record is unstained.

Mr. Meighen, through his personality, has brought what is best in the intellectual life of the country to bear on the science of government. His capacity for hard work, his mastery of debate, and his statesmanlike handling of any subject, no matter how intricate or contentious, led to his having been given charge of piloting through the House of Commons nearly every policy of magnitude which was undertaken during the Great War. His capacity for hard work and the acuteness of his intellect have been an inspiration of enthusiasm to his colleagues in office and sources of never-failing wonder to his political opponents, who have been compelled to admire his tireless energy. He is the studious mind which can apply knowledge to all the practical issues of the day, throw light in dark places, and bring to bear upon every subject which comes within the scope of government, the impassioned clarity of sound judgment. He is at once the scholar-statesman and the business man in politics, a combination as rare as it is valuable.

Premier Meighen cannot be spared at a time like this from the government of this Dominion. He is the outstanding personality of the campaign and a product of Canada, of whom the country may well be proud. The impression which Mr. Meighen created at the Imperial Conference was an unusual one, even in London, where the press and public are accustomed to weigh and appraise all the principal figures in Empire affairs. There, as well as in his native land, it is realized at once that he has achieved the summit of political eminence in Canada through the sheer force of intellect. It is realized, too, that he stands for the traditional policy of Canadian statesmen since Confederation, namely, that Canada "must continue an integral part of the British Empire, but with the largest possible measure of freedom which such a position can permit." It was of Mr. Meighen that the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he was "the ablest mind that the Canadian Conservative Party has produced." The force of his appeal to the country for a renewal of power in the strength of all that is best in high administrative capacity. It is an appeal to all who recognize merit and appreciate sincerity, and an appeal to all who, because of the issue of the campaign, wish this country to continue to direct her own economic destiny so that the Dominion may be maintained as a land of opportunity for our own people.

NO REFERENDUM NEEDED

Much of the time of the Legislature has been spent in discussing a "beer clause," which appears to have been out of order from the very beginning, inasmuch as no private member of the House can initiate legislation which involves the expenditure of public money. Without the consent of the Premier, no such resolution can be introduced as a Government measure, and the attitude of the Conservative Opposition, in describing the procedure as unconstitutional, is sustained by the plain evidence of facts, to which the Legislature should have been privy from the beginning. Captain Mackenzie, who was responsible for the resolution, would have done well to confine himself to dealing with such legislation as a private member can initiate, and he could have done so by introducing such amendments to the Liquor Control Act as would have meant the broadening of facilities to obtain beer. We admit that his purpose was honest, but apparently he was ill-advised, for the facilities which the people want are not those implied by a re-introduction of the bill, no matter under what safeguards.

We have urged that the permit-

system, where it affects the purchase of beer, should be abolished. It has been pointed out that the people who want beer should be able to secure it direct from the breweries in preference to through the Government liquor stores. The Government can secure its profit just the same, either through a label, or a tax levied on sales by the brewers. The law can be made sufficiently strict to permit of no evasions, and we believe any measure respecting beer which would obviate the necessity of going for this beverage to Government stores would meet with popular favor. We have pointed out, also, that legislation should be considered which would permit the sale of beer with meals served in hotels and public dining rooms. In hotels, under the present law, occupants are permitted to have any liquors they want in their rooms, and we are inclined to think that this privilege is far more liable to abuse than any practice which would permit the consumption of beer with meals in public dining rooms. These amendments could have been made to the Liquor Control Act, when initiated by a private member of the Legislature. None of them would have contravened the desire of the people in having voted for government control and the sale of liquors in sealed packages, for under the proposals mentioned the liquor would still be purchased in sealed packages.

It should be the duty of the Legislature to learn, from the operation of the Liquor Control Act, how it can be amended to meet the wishes of the people. So far as we know, the present Legislature was elected to put this legislation in force. The people trust it to do the right thing. They do not want to be consulted over mere methods of procedure. The idea of holding another referendum, so soon after the last, with all the expense which it would involve, would not have proved popular. The Legislature should be sufficiently confident of itself to amend the Liquor Act on the basis of experience, and within limits which will make it a little more elastic than at present and more consonant with the public will.

THE NAVAL RATIO

Japan has defined her standpoint on the reduction of naval armaments, and it is that she should have a 70 per cent ratio. In other words, where Britain and the United States have capital ships each, Japan expects to have seven. This ratio she regards as necessary for her defense, and, therefore, her security as a nation, and it may be said that Japan should know better than any other country what are her naval needs in the light of any proposed reduction in armaments. From the beginning of the Washington Conference it was apparent that radical differences of opinion were bound to arise. The United States was expected to make some definite suggestion which would form a basis of discussion where naval armaments were concerned. This she did, but it was never supposed that the formula she put forward would be accepted as it stood. It was open to grave criticism, for it was necessary at once to look beyond its immediate implications and ascertain what bearing it would have on the standards of naval power in the future.

It was apparent at once that the American formula, if followed, would lead to two things. Firstly, and of vital interest to this Empire, it means that, if adopted, American naval power will be equal in capital ships to that of Britain after a certain period of time. In this decision, being one of the effects of the formula, no consideration seems to have been given to Great Britain having vastly greater need of sea power than the United States, owing to the territory which she has to police and the extents of the coasts which she has to defend. From this standpoint, the American formula was not the outcome of purely altruistic reasoning. Secondly, the proposal was designed to accord to Japan only three-fifths of the power in capital ships according to either Britain or the United States. Japan, on her own behalf, but still with the belief that there should be a reduction in naval armaments, maintains that she should have seventeenth the power in capital ships of that to be awarded either of the two great naval powers. If Japan persists in her policy, as outlined by Vice-Admiral Kato on behalf of his Government, there is no nation or group of nations which can say her nay.

There is to be no formula dealing with a reduction in land armaments because France has spoken and defined the limits beyond which she will not go. Japan has now defined her limits in a naval sense, and these are based on her own belief affecting her national security. It is on that basis only that any reductions in armaments can be affected, and it is upon the will to compromise that the sincerity and good faith of the Washington Conference will be tested. We have maintained that in the formula laid down Britain's right to see power is placed in a false position. Time alone can prove this, but the wisdom of the Empire's statesmen may yet find a solution which will not be so imatical to British interests as that which is now proposed.

The real solution to the whole question lies in a hard and fast triple alliance between Britain, Japan and the United States. The latter country seems adverse to entering into any entangling engagements, as such alliances are described by any State which desires to preserve a policy of isolation where foreign affairs are concerned.

An inexcusable error in yesterday's news columns connected the name of Mr. Henry C. Hall as a being one of a number of Dr. S. F. Tolmie's supporters who met at luncheon in the Pacific Club on Wednesday. As is generally known, Mr. Hall is a Liberal, and is supporting Mr. William Levell, the Liberal candidate in the present Federal election campaign.

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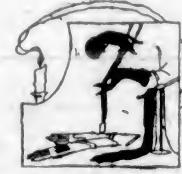
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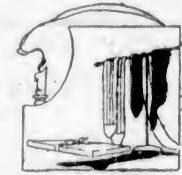
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Victoria, B.C. Min. Max.

Vancouver 42 68

Port Alberni 20 74

Victoria 24 69

Prince Rupert 24 68

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Victoria, B.C. 24 68

Calgary, Alta. 10 88

Winnipeg, Man. 33 58

Penticton 27 54

Kamloops 25 54

Kelowna 25 54

Okanagan Falls 26 54

Castlegar 26 54

Thetis Bay 26 54

Lower ... 68

Central ... 68

North ... 68

Minimum on grass ... 68

Rain, 22 inch. 68

General state of weather, cloudy.

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Scouts and Unemployed—The Victoria Boy Scout Association has been asked by the Chamber of Commerce

to have a meeting on December 6, at 8 o'clock.

Princess Patricia Lodge—A meeting will be held this evening at the Princess Patricia Lodge, Daughters of St. George, at 1230 Government Street, at 8 o'clock.

James Bay Bazaar—The Ladies' Aid of the James Bay Methodist Church will hold its annual bazaar in the church on Tuesday, December 6, at 6:30.

Drumhead Service—The Boys' Naval Brigade will hold a special "Drumhead" service at their headquarters, Old Drill Hall, on Sunday morning at 10:30. The programme will open with the hoisting of colors, inspection of division and quarters, followed by a march past, to be followed by the service, Canon Hincliffe, M.P.P., to be acting captain. The Boys' Naval Brigade Band will take a prominent part in this service. The public is cordially invited to participate in the service.

November's Vital Statistics—As compiled by the Provincial Registrar of Births, Marriages and Deaths, the November statistics for the month of November are as follows:

Victoria City, Births, 76 (males 41,

females 35); deaths, 49 (males 28,

females 21); marriages, 28. In Oak Bay there were: Births, 3; deaths, 4;

marriages, 3. In Esquimalt, Births, 2;

deaths, 1; marriages, 1.

Liberal Meetings—Mr. C. K. Christian, unsuccessful Soldier-Labor candidate at the last Provincial election; Mr. G. McGeer, ex-M.P.P. of Vancouver, and Mr. William Ivel, the Liberal candidate, will address a public meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the Connaught Seamen's Institute, 801 Government Street, when Federal leaders will be discussed. Dave McFarlane, the Liberal campaign manager, has called a meeting of those in support of Mr. Ivel's candidature, which will be held tomorrow night, at 8 o'clock, in the Liberal Club room, Government Street.

Veterans of France—There was a large assembly of members of the Veterans of France, which was held last night in the clubrooms, with Comdr. A. Murdoch, the president, in the chair. Comdr. Robert Macneil, head of the delegates of the amalgamation of the various organizations, gave a short speech and announced that committee eight up to and including the formation of the present holding body. The committee was thanked for its labor and discharged. The organization is now awaiting the results of the coming Winnipeg convention on amalgamation, and will be in touch with the Canadian Legion on the unemployment question and found a big percentage of unemployed at the meeting.

Amputation Club—The Amputation Club held its regular bi-monthly meeting last evening, at which it was decided to give a concert and dance in the clubrooms, Belmont Building on Saturday, commencing at 8 p.m. sharp. All members and their immediate friends are cordially invited. A special good cause is expected, as the Royal St. George Society furnished a concert programme and refreshments. The last part of the evening will be given over to dancing for which members of the club were still unemployed. At the conclusion of the meeting, a collection was taken for the benefit of those men who are now employable in the general labor market. Any suggestion for possible employment for any of them would be gratefully received by the secretary, phone 6654.

Gyro Mouth—A new gyro mouthpiece was given to the Victoria Lacrosse Club at the monthly meeting last night in the Chamber of Commerce room. They were: Joseph Barrett, Elmer Flinck, Frank Fredericksen, Stuart G. Kenning, Jack R. McDonald, old J. C. Simpson and William E. Williams. The report of a valiant and energetic activity along various lines. The Gyro lacrosse team will play another club at the Arena on Wednesday night. A bold competition among the members will shortly be held. A dirigent, G. G. Jones, is being held on Wednesday night in the Criterion Cabaret, with Gyro George Paulin in charge. The club is putting on an entertainment at the Orphanage on Thursday, December 22, and every member is being placed on a committee looking after the arrangements. The members of the club were still unemployed. The Gyro lacrosse team will play another club at the Arena on Wednesday night. A bold competition among the members will shortly be held. A dirigent, G. G. 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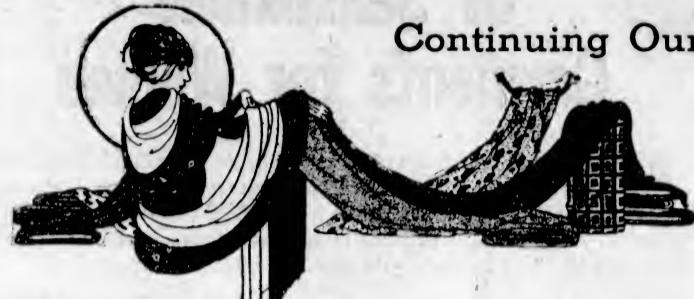
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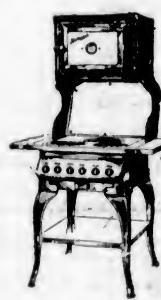
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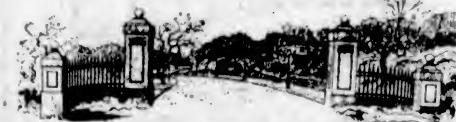
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"It's the Lord's work. Why should it be necessary for anyone but Him to know who I am?"

This answer, spoken gently, was given by one who made an anonymous gift of \$20 to the Friendly Help, a few days ago in response to the appeal which was recently made on behalf of the hungry children of Victoria. The gift had been sent to Miss Lawson's name, an anonymous lady who hardy realised the nature of the gift at the moment, and when she asked for the name of the generous giver the door was already closing on the departing visitor.

Many little incidents of this kind have happened during the past two weeks in which sympathetic acts of charity of many people toward the unfortunate families which have fallen upon bad days. A poor working woman who earns her living by scrubbing and cleaning other people's houses at so much per day came to Miss Lawson with a gift of jam, especially prepared in a secret recipe. Appreciating what self-sacrifice this meant in this particular instance, Miss Lawson would have declined to accept the gift, but the little woman's pleasure in giving was so apparent that she asked, instead, how it had been managed. The explanation was that she worked for a number of days' earnings, set aside ten cents to buy jam for the poor children. When there was sufficient stored away she had gone out and made her purchase.

From far and near there have been gifts. An old subscriber of the Friendly Help who is now in England has sent a cheque for \$10; Mr. and Mrs. Clegg, of Victoria, and Saanich people have sent or brought gifts of fruit, vegetables, groceries and clothing in more than usual quantity during the past fortnight. Of jam alone more than three hundred jars have been received since the cry of the hungry reached the ears of the people. The friendly help every day brings its fresh consignment of supplies to fill the storerooms so continuously called upon to fill the needs of the increasing number of empty cupboards at home.

"And we need everything that we get. The unemployment problem has seldom been worse. We have rarely had so many cases of real need as at present," says Miss Lawson, who wishes to thank the many generous friends who are helping in the present emergency. One of the most urgent needs to which she calls attention is shoes for children, of the many boots and shoes which are to be had now, very few are waterproof, and very few are in children's sizes.

The Victoria Boy Scout Association has been asked by the Chamber of Commerce to co-operate with it in delivering a number of appeals to the householders of the city with respect to providing work for the unemployed. The Scout officers and boys are out to give their services for a "Community Good Turn," and the Scouts and older Cubs are to meet at the Chamber of Commerce Office, Arcade Building, on Saturday morning 10 o'clock (or at 2 p.m. if this is impossible) with bicycles ready for the work which they are being asked to do.

BRANTFORD PLANTS ARE RESUMING WORK

BRANTFORD, Ont., Dec. 1.—The Massey-Harris Company yesterday re-engaged over 200 old employees after having been closed down for some time, while the Cockshut Plow Company has started 150 men to work. Both companies expect to increase their staffs as soon as the various departments can be opened.

This news, coming just before Christmas, has tended to create considerable optimism here, even though the unemployment situation is still serious.



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. Woods, of Vancouver, are visitors to this city.

Miss Daisy Jackson, of Quebec City, is in town, the guest of Mrs. Henry Billingsley, of Marlborough Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kent, of Vancouver, are spending a few days in the Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knight, of Vancouver, are visiting in this city for a few days.

Mr. Neal Murray of Kamloops, is paying a visit with friends in the city this week. He arrived in Victoria yesterday.

Mr. Walter C. Nichol has issued invitations for next Thursday evening for the second of a series of "solices musicales" which are taking place this season at Government House.

Mayor Burton, of Kamloops, and A. S. Fraser, of that city, were visitors in Victoria yesterday. They were on a business and a pleasure trip combined.

A meeting of the Macdonald Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place on Monday evening at the home of Miss Macdonald, 81 Charles Street, and all members are requested to be present.

The many friends of Mrs. Is. H. Kent will be pleased to hear that she has left St. Joseph's Hospital, where she has been a patient for the past few weeks, and is now the guest of Mrs. Curtis Campion, Molton Combe.

Lady Cameron, Mr. Leslie Cameron and Mrs. Lorna Cameron of Vancouver, and Mrs. Homer Wilson, of Victoria, are staying with Sir Augustus and Lady Nanton in Winnipeg, where the funeral of Sir Douglas Cameron took place yesterday.

The bridge club met yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. P. A. E. Irving, "Halwyn," when three tables were in progress, the players being: Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mrs. George Johnston, Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. L. Davies, Miss Poetry, Miss Gladys Irving, Miss Macdonald, Miss Adair and Mrs. Basil Combe.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Walter C. Nichol received a large number of guests at Government House, on the occasion of her formal reception day, which was held on Nov. 20. Mrs. Nichol is visiting England.

The drawing-room, where the hostess greeted her guests, was beautifully arranged with pink and white chrysanthemums, while blooms of the same shade adorned the tea table.

Spencer's tearooms have been made additionally popular during the past few days by the attractive character of the music which is being given by Mrs. Gertrude Hollinrake Brick, whose charming vocal numbers are appreciated by all patrons. Mrs. Spencer's engagement has been extended for the present week only, but has been extended to December 8. Mr. Wade is playing her accompaniments.

Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green and Mr. Gideon Hicks have accepted an invitation to take part on a program to be given on Dec. 14 at the University of Washington auditorium, Seattle. The concert is being arranged by the Amphion Club of Seattle, under the direction of Claude Munden, and the Victoria artists will supply three groups of numbers.

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Mrs. Mary Izard, the popular violinist, made her farewell appearance before a Victoria audience on Wednesday evening in connection with the Ladies' Musical Club recital, as she is leaving today for Vancouver, whence she goes to Manila, where her marriage takes place a few days before Christmas. She carries with her the good wishes of a large circle of personal friends, and of a big public which has frequently delighted in listening to her charming playing.

The following guests are registered at the James Bay Hotel: Mrs. Bird and children, Mill Bay; Mrs. and Miss Roche, Cowichan Bay; F. W. Foster, Cowichan; Miss Stephens, Duncan; C. W. Lonsdale, Shawnigan Lake; Miss Joy Calvert, Milne's Landing; Miss Hope Calvert, Milne's Landing; Richard Peters, Okanagan Landing; Miss A. Cox, Saanich; Mr. Cox, Saanich; Miss Crawford, Vancouver; Miss Eyley-Smith, Vancouver; the Rev. W. Arnold Bennett, Vancouver; A. Gray, Victoria; Mrs. G. D. Johnston, Vancouver.

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Mr. Guy W. Walker, who was elected as registrar for the Island on

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Mr. Nachtrieb, of Victoria, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Howe last week.

Mr. Richard W. Nixon, of Victoria, spent a few days here last week looking up old friends.

Mrs. A. E. Cathcart, who has been

visiting in Vancouver, has returned home.

Mr. Jack Cathcart, of Victoria, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cathcart.

Miss Inches spent the week-end in Ladysmith.

Miss Hazel Cathcart visited in Nanaimo last week.

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OFFICERS CHOSEN BY SAANICH BODY

The annual general meeting of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Association took place in the Agricultural Hall, Saanich, on Saturday afternoon, when the following were elected to office for the ensuing year: President, Mr. H. E. Tanner; Keating, re-elected unanimously; first vice-president, Andrew McDonnell; North Saanich, second vice-president, Mr. E. Raper; Burnside Roads, honorary patron, Mr. M. H. Jackson, M.P.P.; Mr. F. A. Paulson, M.P.P.;

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Business Man Enters Contest



MR. ARTHUR LINEHAM

MR. ARTHUR LINEHAM RUNS FOR ALDERMAN

Active Business Man Enters City Council Contest—Adding to List of Progressive Candidates Already in Field

The list of candidates for municipal office from the Victoria's business men was augmented yesterday, when it was announced that Mr. Arthur Lineham, for many years an active figure in the city's municipal life, had decided to run for alderman.

Mr. Lineham is well known as a partner in the realty and insurance firm of Grant & Lineham, and for many years has taken interest in city affairs, particularly relating to taxation and finance. Within recent months he has taken leadership in a comprehensive plan for the development of Government highways in British Columbia, being the author of a scheme which has already received the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce and a large number of organizations.

Mr. Lineham is known to be an advocate of an efficient business administration at the City Hall. There are now five active business men in the City Council field—Messrs. Reginald Hayward, Mr. Heiden Gillespie, David Leeming, R. W. Perry and Arthur Lineham, and it is expected that the announcement of the names of the council will undergo more decided change at the next election than at any other contest within recent years.

The distinction of being the first to file nomination papers for the municipal election goes to Alderman John Harvey this year. Yesterday he submitted his nomination to Returning Officer William Newcroft. His sponsors being Messrs. James Forman and J. W. Spencer.

Mr. William Merchant, who will oppose Mayor Porter for the mayoralty, yesterday took out papers, but has not yet registered them.

Mr. Porter, who is apparently thinking very little of his forthcoming campaign, stated yesterday that no meetings will be held in his interests until after the Federal election. There are eleven clear days before the civic election.

WEDDINGS

Tyrwhitt-Drake-Lawrence

The marriage of Mr. Brian Babey Tyrwhitt-Drake, only son of the late Hon. Mr. Justice Montague Tyrwhitt-Drake, of Victoria, and Miss Constance Lawrence, daughter of the late Hon. Mrs. Lawrence and the Hon. Mrs. Lawrence, took place on Thursday, November 28, at Matthew's Church, Great Peter Street, Westminster, the Rev. C. S. Gill officiating. The bride was given away by her uncle, General the Hon. A. H. Lawrence, and Mr. Ernest Tyrwhitt-Drake discharged the duties of best man. Amongst the church were the Hon. Mrs. Lawrence, the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Barnardiston, Miss Jocelyn Weaver-Bridgeman, of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Tyrwhitt-Drake, Lord Darnley, husband of Mary Queen of Scots for a time, stabbed to death his wife's private secretary, Rizzio,

Lord Tyrwhitt-Drake and Miss Joyce Tyrwhitt-Drake, Lord and Lady Lawrence, the Hon. Lady Lawrence, and Miss Lawrence, May Lady Lawrence, and the Hon. Ann Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Hill, General Richard Lawrence and Miss Lawrence, Amy Lady Pelly, the Hon. Mrs. Buxton and Miss Buxton, Mrs. Edward Playfair, Miss Elizabeth Playfair, Major and Mrs. Bell, Miss Edith Hill, Miss James Dunsmuir, of Victoria, Mrs. Hope, Mrs. Bromley, Major Selden Humphreys and Madame Molfrado.

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Sale of Work for Charity—Eastern Star, Five Hays and Sunshine Club, Saturday, December 3, 632 Port Street.

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Dance—Agricultural Hall, Friday, Dec. 2, Terry's orchestra. Dancing from nine to one.

Rummage Sale will be held on Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock. In Store, corner of Hillside and Prior Street. Take Hillside car to Prior Street.

Follow the "Sports" to the Central Cafe. Merchants' lunch, 35c and 50c. Special supper, from 9:00 to 10:30, 25c. Personal attention. P. C. Payne.

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Western Art Studio—Paintings, suitable for Christmas presents. New color prints (local scenery). Miss M. Kitto, 401 Union Bank Building. Up-stairs.

Diphtheria in Ontario

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—Diphtheria is more prevalent in Ontario at the present time than at any time in the past, according to provincial health authorities. During the month there were 940 cases, with 82 deaths, as compared with 666 cases in November, 1920, and 42 deaths. Generally speaking, however, the health record of the province is favorable.

Spaniards swimming ashore after the defeat of the Armada in 1588 were murdered by the Irish.

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Belgian Election Results

BRUSSELS, Dec. 1.—Official returns from the provincial elections now at hand have completed the compilation of results from the parliamentary balloting, showing that the bulk of the seats will be as follows: Chamber, 72; Senate, 22; Liberals, 23. The Catholic party had a majority of thirteen over all in the last Senate.

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BROWN WILL OPPOSE
METHODS OF MAJORS

Vancouver Baseball President
Will Fight Against Practice
of Farming Out Players to
the Minors

VANCOUVER, Nov. 30.—That young ball players, just off the sand lots, should graduate into major league company through the minors and that the practice of the majors signing these players and later farm them out under gentlemen's agreement should be stopped, is the unanimous opinion of president of the Vancouver Baseball Club, who, as a member of the national board of the minors, will launch a fight against these methods at the Buffalo fall convention next week.

"It is unfair to the Class C and D leagues to have the major pick up these stars, sign them at big money and immediately farm them out to minor league clubs, which must meet the salary at which the majors sign them, and who, after developing the player, have no strings on him," President Brown said today. "I intend to lead the fight against the practice at the Buffalo convention, as I firmly believe that every young player should make his way through the minors before being offered a contract in the majors. At present a major league club hears of a coming star. He is signed at, say, \$350 per month, but is never even taken south for a trial, being shipped to some

MACAN MAY LAY OUT
COURSE AT SPOKANE

A. Vernon Macan will probably be engaged to lay out the new 18-hole golf course of the Manito Club in Spokane, William Locks, of San Francisco, is Macan's rival for the job because of Macan's popularity in the Northwest. He is expected to land the task. Macan, aided by Bob Johnston, the popular Seattle professional, laid out the Ingleswood Country Club course in Seattle.

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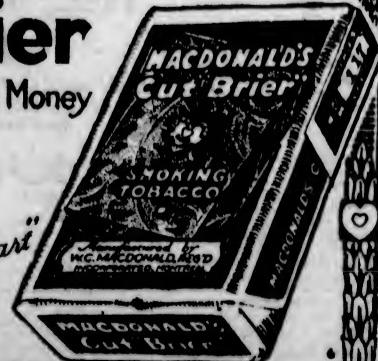
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TEAM TACTICS ARE
THE MAIN OBJECTIVE

Aristocrats, in Fine Form Individually, Are Being Coached in Fine Points of Combination Work

Starting the big job of moulding their team into a perfect, smooth-working machine, in the very outset of the season, Manager Eddie Pairick and Captain Eddie Ostman commenced yesterday to teach the Victoria Aristocrats some of the "inside stuff" which will be used in the pennant battle this year.

For an hour and a half—a long, grueling workout—the two veterans coached the boys in team play, combination work, strategy, and initiated "Slim" Haiderson, the ex-Falcons star, into the deeper things of professional hockey. Most of the players are racing into mid-season form physically now, so that, until the big grind begins in earnest, practices will be devoted to instruction in tactics and team play.

The idea is to find a combination right now that will be able to fight its way to the top of the ladder in the course of the schedule. Skipper Eddie wants to start the season confident in every department of his team. It is not easy to reach this result. It is necessary first to find out just how each player is working and where he is doing best. And this year the task is complicated by the addition of Haiderson, whom the captain is still mapping up.

Drilling in Tactics

The workouts during the rest of the pre-season period will show a lot of things and will determine how the team will line up when the first whistle blows. Meanwhile, every member is being drilled in the tactics which the older players have learned through the course of years. This means that there will be a lot of strategy in the Aristocrats' play this winter. The fans may not see it because it moves far too fast. As a matter of fact, the strategy of hockey usually gets lost in the rush as far as the spectators are concerned, but it is there just the same.

Captain Eddie has originated a number of new plays, which it would be difficult to describe on paper and, which, of course, are being kept secret anyway. This much can be said, however, that they involve new goal-getting methods which will baffle the Vancouver and Seattle boys. Frederickson, always was keen on this sort of thing, had it down to a fine point with the Falcons. Now he has his old team-mate, Haiderson, with him, he will be able to use many of his former ruses to outwit the opposing defense.

Manager Pairick is concentrating pretty heavily on the defense department as well—a department which he knows thoroughly. So far no announcement has been made about this end of the team, but Lester has his plans in view. He's very satisfied with Macan. Johnson is showing the same as ever—clean, fast, and almost impassable.

No Loss of Pep

The old Moose is taking to the lee for his uneventful season with the same pep which made him a star even among the youngsters last year. Of course, he says he's going to have a good season. He always has said so—and always his prediction has been correct. The same prophecy will stand this year, judging by the way the veteran was burning up the ice yesterday.

And after an hour and a half at it, Ernie remarked that he was feeling like the proverbial million dollars.

INTERCITY CHESS

Friendly Matches to Be Played Here Tomorrow—Tournaments in the New Year

TOMORROW some ten or a dozen members of the North Vancouver Chess Club will arrive by the afternoon boat from Vancouver, to play a series of friendly games with members of the Victoria Club.

There will be a match between the two clubs, but it will not be acquaintance, and the games will be played at the room of the local club, 29 Arcade Building, commencing at about 4 o'clock and will be continued during the afternoon and evening.

CANADIAN WINS

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Mike McGaughie, Canadian middleweight champion, won the decision over Jeff Smith, Bayonne, N.J., in a 16-round bout here tonight in Madison Square Garden.

The local club hopes to arrange matches later with the Vancouver Chess Club, the North Vancouver Club and the Alberni District Club.

This interest excited by the "bodden" games now being played in the local club continues more or less unabated, but some of the members are looking forward to the organization of a tournament and a championship of Vancouver Island tournaments in the New Year.

CLUB STANDINGS IN THE SOCCER LEAGUES

First Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	18	12
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	26	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Second Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Spanich Thistles	4	3	1	0	12	10
Watson	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	0	4	0	9	8

Third Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	18	11
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	16	6
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	12	4
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	3

Fourth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Fifth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Sixth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Seventh Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Eighth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Ninth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Tenth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Eleventh Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Twelfth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Thirteenth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Fourteenth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1	12	8
Gardiner	4	1	3	0	9	22
Thistles	4	0	4	0	9	21

Fifteenth Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals	Pts.
Watson	4	3	1	0	12	10
Metropolis	4	2	1	1</td		

Sunday School Basketeters
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Big Entry List for All Classes
in Sunday School League—
First Games of Schedule
Set for Tuesday

Entries for the Sunday School Basketball League have now closed with no fewer than forty-five teams entered. Next week will see the start of play. Fourteen ladies' teams will play in the classes which open at 8 p.m. First Presbyterian maximum on Tuesday next. Eighteen intermediate and fourteen senior teams will play at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesdays and Saturdays, starting on Saturday, December 10, at 8 p.m.

There is no doubt that the Senior "A" men's league will furnish some fine basketball this season, while the Senior "B" men's will be even better than during last season. The ladies' basketball series will also be much speedier than before, and some lively competition is expected.

The opening games in each series have been announced to start next week, when the full schedule for the season will also be published. The British Columbia basketball championship will be played off with the Vancouver winners at the end of the season. Opening games on the schedule will be as follows:

December 6, ladies' games at First Presbyterian gymnasium—At 8 p.m. Juniors; Fidels vs. Live Wires; at 8:30, Seniors, Fairfield vs. Pas-a-pas.

December 10, at Y.M.C.A.—At 8 p.m., intermediates "A," St. Paul's vs. First Presbyterians; at 8:45, Senior "B," Crusaders vs. On-wes-los; at 9:30, Senior "A," Crusaders vs. Belmonts.

December 14, at 8 p.m.—Intermediate "B"; Reformed Episcopalians vs. James Bay "B"; at 8:45, Senior "B," Tiffeyans vs. K. of C.; at 9:30, Senior "A," First Presbyterians vs. Christ Church.

SEASON FOR KILLING MEN IS NOW CLOSED

Twenty-Three Hunters Lost Lives
White Deer Were Hunted in Maine
and Michigan

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—Ten hunters lost their lives in Michigan during the twenty-day deer season ended yesterday. Over four thousand deer were killed.

AUGUSTA, Dec. 1.—Thirteen deer hunters lost their lives in the woods of Maine during the season that closed late night. About 2,200 deer were taken.

OVERTIME GAME MARKS OPENING OF SEASON

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—The hockey season opened with a bang at the Arena last night with Varsity, in defence of the junior cup, playing a four-four tie with Aura Lee. The game played ten minutes' overtime, and then, with sixteen boys so tired they could hardly push one foot ahead of the other, Marcellin and Conroy Smythe decided to "call it a day," and replay the game on a later date. About 3,000 attended.

CANADIAN RUGBY

Intercollegiate Junior Champions
Selected Date for Final Contest

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—Representatives of Queen's Juniors, champions of the Intercollegiate Union, have notified Harry McKee, secretary of the Ontario Union, that they are willing to meet the winners of the O.R.U. from Kingston, on December 12, in a sudden-death game to decide the rugby junior honors of the Canadian Union.

HOCKEY BULLETINS

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SPORTING NEWS

Record Singles Score Is
Made by Maplesmasher

FORT GEORGE MEMBER CRITICIZES MINISTER

Claims His Riding Is Not Receiving Proper Financial Attention—Alleges Spite by Hon. Dr. King

"It is not always a Conservative who gets a rotten deal from this Government," Mr. H. G. Perry, Liberal member for Fort George, declared with heat in the Legislature at an early hour Thursday morning, when the votes for roads, streets and wharves were under consideration, and the marks set several days ago by George Becker of Milwaukee. Becker's mark broke the existing record's world record.

"He lost it in October of that year, however, to E. Searle, of New South Wales.

BOWLER MAKES RECORD

DES MOINES, Dec. 1.—George E. Falkebach of St. Joseph, Mo., has broken the world's record in the bowls, which stands at 758. The Presbyterian maximum on Tuesday next. Eighteen intermediate and fourteen senior teams will play at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesdays and Saturdays, starting on Saturday, December 10, at 8 p.m.

"There is no doubt that the Senior "A" men's league will furnish some fine basketball this season, while the Senior "B" men's will be even better than during last season. The ladies' basketball series will also be much speedier than before, and some lively competition is expected.

The opening games in each series have been announced to start next week, when the full schedule for the season will also be published. The British Columbia basketball championship will be played off with the Vancouver winners at the end of the season. Opening games on the schedule will be as follows:

December 6, ladies' games at First Presbyterian gymnasium—At 8 p.m. Juniors; Fidels vs. Live Wires; at 8:30, Seniors, Fairfield vs. Pas-a-pas.

December 10, at Y.M.C.A.—At 8 p.m., intermediates "A," St. Paul's vs. First Presbyterians; at 8:45, Senior "B," Crusaders vs. On-wes-los; at 9:30, Senior "A," Crusaders vs. Belmonts.

December 14, at 8 p.m.—Intermediate "B"; Reformed Episcopalians vs. James Bay "B"; at 8:45, Senior "B," Tiffeyans vs. K. of C.; at 9:30, Senior "A," First Presbyterians vs. Christ Church.

SEASON FOR KILLING
MEN IS NOW CLOSED

Twenty-Three Hunters Lost Lives
White Deer Were Hunted in Maine
and Michigan

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—Ten hunters lost their lives in Michigan during the twenty-day deer season ended yesterday. Over four thousand deer were killed.

AUGUSTA, Dec. 1.—Thirteen deer hunters lost their lives in the woods of Maine during the season that closed late night. About 2,200 deer were taken.

OVERTIME GAME MARKS OPENING OF SEASON

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—The hockey season opened with a bang at the Arena last night with Varsity, in defence of the junior cup, playing a four-four tie with Aura Lee. The game played ten minutes' overtime, and then, with sixteen boys so tired they could hardly push one foot ahead of the other, Marcellin and Conroy Smythe decided to "call it a day," and replay the game on a later date. About 3,000 attended.

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and co-ordinates the work of the different local branches, and carries on direct where there are no chartered branches.

The Provincial headquarters are at 626 Fender Street, Vancouver, but annual meetings have been held alternately at Vancouver and Victoria. Representatives of the various local Red Cross Societies throughout the Province will be present.

All Red Cross members and friends of the society are invited to be present.

MAJOR BURDE TAKES PLATFORM FOR IVEL

Alberni Member Tells Audience That He Is Supporting Liberals Because They Favor Eight-Hour Day Project

About one hundred residents of Ward Four turned out last night at the Liberal rally held in the Moss Street School in the interests of Mr. William Ivel. Major Burde, M.P.P. of O'Halloran and the candidate also spoke.

Major Burde opened his remarks by stating that he was an advocate of the Liberal platform, and said that he had a headache when he heard the National Liberal and Conservative party mentioned.

The Liberal policy included a general eight-hour plank, he declared.

In the years from 1918 to 1920 a total of \$687,000 had been spent in the Port George riding, 200 miles of farmers' roads were constructed, 49 miles of irrigation ditches were dug, 1,000 acres of land were cleared, and 1,000 labor men in the field, for if there had been one he would have had his support.

The speaker claimed that there were about 8,000 Japanese on the West Coast of Vancouver Island and on the mainland. This situation, he said, was due to the fact that there were no ports of entry on the coast, and the Japanese were not large enough, but the member for Port George simply had no right to suggest that he was proud to support Mr. Ivel in this connection.

Major Burde asserted that there was not all this spent?

"Where were all this spent?" retorted Mr. Perry.

Mr. J. W. Jones also criticized the vote for the eight-hour ridings, pointing to a Jap or a Japanese launch on the Coast. There have been many appeals made to Ottawa to cancel their licenses, but still no response.

"I appreciate the assistance given by the Japanese to the Liberal ridings, and a decrease of over \$21,000 for the Liberal ridings, a decrease of \$42,650 in Conservative ridings, and a decrease of over \$7,000 in the Labor ridings.

The vote was approved.

Cost of P.G.E.

The matter of a \$500,000 vote to cover deficiency of operating costs on the P.G.E. led Mr. Whitehead to ask whether this included the cost of office.

The Premier replied that this covered the entire cost of such offices and the deficiency in operating expenses of the Government road. He had previously stated that there was sufficient money to continue the road to Port George but not enough to pay for the deficit of operating, neither would it cover the \$200,000 damage caused to the road by the recent floods.

Mr. Whitehead asked whether it was the intention of the Government to proceed with the construction of the road from Quesnel to Prince George, in view of recent developments.

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Premier Oliver replied that advice had been given as to whether further construction of the road from Quesnel to Prince George should be undertaken.

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He referred to the fact that the Government promised the ex-service men upon their return from overseas a first-class gratuity of six months' pay. He said that a number of soldiers received this money in monthly payments, although they wished the whole amount down in order that they could use it to re-establish themselves in Canada.

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He referred to the fact that the Meighen administration had not given us this gratuity, and at once it couldn't give us this trust us. I wish to point out that it could not be a great deal easier to trust Dick Burde when the shells were flying in France," the Major continued, asserting that there was too much patronage at Ottawa.

The speaker deplored the fact that the Canadian dollar is really worth about 88 cents in the United States. If he didn't wish to lose any money in that way when he visited that country. He asked why it was that the balance of trade today is unfavorable to Canada. "The reason for this condition is that the Government has conspired with the

Two Trains Per Week

Mr. W. K. Ealing rose to question whether the proposed two trains per week did not mean an expenditure to the Province of \$10,000 each way. He thought that such an expenditure was away out of proportion to the value.

Mr. H. G. Perry asked the Premier whether he had made arrangements with the G.T.R. to use the roundhouse and the bridge at Prince George. If not, the Government would have to construct new roundhouses.

To a negative answer from the Premier, Mr. Perry maintained that the Minister of Railways appeared to be getting poor advice from the railroads.

"You ought to be informed of all these things," claimed Mr. Perry. "Your engineer should have all this information for you."

Mr. Ealing followed up Mr. Perry's remarks by the statement that it was evident that some very inaccurate and erroneous estimates had been made by the Premier in the construction of the road.

"And you are responsible to the people," claimed Mr. Ealing. "You cannot even tell us today what certain work performed three years ago has cost."

The vote passed.

The House spent nearly two hours going through the estimates, there being comparatively few objections, and then from opposition members seeking details. The House adjourned at 1:45 a.m. Thursday.

RED CROSS MEETING TO PLAN YEAR'S WORK

Provincial Division Holding Annual Gathering Tomorrow—Members and Friends Invited to Attend

The annual meeting of the Provincial Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be held at the Empress Hotel this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Reports of the past year's activities will be presented and officers and committees elected in every branch for the next twelve months.

The Provincial Division should not be confused with the Victoria City and District Branch, which still carries on all local Red Cross activities. The Provincial Division supervises

banking interests of the Dominion, which are against the common welfare of the common people. Major Burde concluded, amid applause.

Candidate Speaks

Mr. Ivel stated that if elected he would develop Victoria, as it would help himself as well as others who had promised to do every endeavor to continue work which was started here five years ago, and which has since laid unproductive. He asserted that the Government was an order-in-council administration, which should be quickly swept out of existence.

The candidate reiterated his views on the problems facing the electorate, disclaiming that the Liberals were out for free trade, but a reasonable protection for revenue purposes only.

He said that the C.N.R. was a disgrace, and that the terminus on the railway line should have been started a long time ago instead of waiting for a possible commencement on the eve of an election.

"The Liberal policy on the tariff question is the same everywhere, although our opponents say that it is not," said Mr. O'Halloran. "I ask you to remember they can cite one instance of a variation in it. The Government policy is adapted for the manufacturing interests of Ontario and Quebec. The farmer-motor is peculiarly adapted to the prairies. The Liberal platform visualizes Canada as a whole and protects its interests."

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LOUISE BETTERS HER FIRST SPEED

On Progressive Trials Yesterday Reached Maximum of 17.5 Knots—Will Be Turned Over Today

The new steamer Princess Louise has progressive trials at Harry Bay yesterday reaching a maximum of 17.5 knots and performing throughout in a way that caused thorough satisfaction among the technical representatives of the builders and of the Canadian Pacific Company who were on board.

Casting off at the Outer Wharf at 8 a.m. she proceeded direct to Parry Bay, and was put through a series of runs starting at ten knots and working up to full speed. From the very commencement of the runs to the finish the machinery worked with perfect smoothness, and the vessel at all times was under expert control from the bridge. A maximum speed of 17.5 knots was obtained, conclusive proof that in service the ship will easily maintain at least 16.5 knots.

One very noticeable feature commented upon by the Canadian Pacific officials was the smoothness of the navigation. Another to draw comment was her manoeuvring qualities. In fact, it was the universal opinion that she steers as well as a twin screw vessel. On the conclusion of the trials, Mr. Wallace was congratulated by Capt. Troup on the highly successful results.

As Good as the Best

The Princess Louise is conclusive proof that ships of her type can be built and engineered on this coast just as well as at the premier seat of the industry, the Clyde. It is hoped that she is destined for future success.

The list of Canadian Pacific officials aboard yesterday included Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Service; Capt. C. D. Neroult, marine superintendent; Capt. H. Mowatt; J. McGowan, superintendent engineer, and John Alexander, assistant superintendent. Representing Mr. Wallace's were Andrew Wallace, head of the Prince Rupert branch; R. Alman, naval architect and designer of the vessel; W. H. Milne, naval architect; A. Menzies, chief engineer; G. E. Safford, and George Browning, engineer in charge on the trial trip; G. W. Stackhouse and W. A. Morris, assisting Mr. Menzies.

Captain T. O. Griffin was on the bridge and Chief Engineer J. Pettigrew in the engineroom. With the addition of Capt. F. J. Johnson, the complement of the crew was 100. While at Port Alice master and crew gave the residents of the town the time of their lives with dances and socials nightly. The ship was in port four and one-half days. The final dance was given by the ship, and was an elaborate function, preceded by a banquet and speeches. Captain Johnson himself, a quiet, unassuming man, had enjoyed their Port Alice visit more than that to any other port ever called at by the ship. If in search of enjoyment he would land at Port Alice in preference to New York or so.

MORE WRECKAGE FROM SEA EAGLE WASHED UP

Doors and Decking Thrown Up on Beach Leave No Hope for the Safety of Missing Tugboat

ASTORIA, Dec. 1.—More wreckage from the tug Sea Eagle was found today on the beach between Columbia Beach and Gearhart. Six pieces, a hat marked J. Doyle, two cans of hard tack, a locker box with the hinges broken off, two oars, a quantity of redwood decking, five ship cleats, and wooden frames the teak's hull, a woven bamboo fence, and other wreckage was found by Ed Wiseman, of Clatsop Plains. This wreckage is believed here to be conclusive proof of the Sea Eagle's destruction. The tug was last heard from while towing the schooner Esola to Marshfield.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—Five Japanese sailors are now said to have been lost at sea when the Japanese auxiliary schooner Kouei Maru, bound for Japan, was foundered 200 miles off Cape Flattery by a southeast gale Tuesday. The remainder of the crew were picked up by the steamer Tosa Maru, outward bound from Tacoma to Japan.

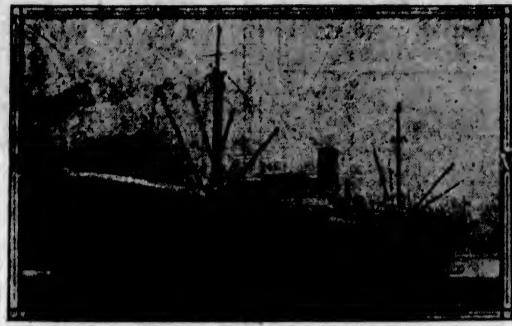
Another Ship Missing

OSWEGO, N.Y., Dec. 1.—A large amount of boat wreckage washed ashore here last night is thought to indicate the possibility of another vessel on the Orient. Among the wrecks is a cowboy boat bearing the name "Pennington," and while no ship of that name has been reported missing, port records include a tow ship named S. L. Pennington.

The wreckage includes the top of a boat's cabin, life preservers, broken boards and timbers.

Shakespeare is said to have written the play, "The Merry Wives of Windsor," for Queen Elizabeth's amusement.

BIGGER SHIPS GOING TO QUATSINO



LOADS PULP AT PORT ALICE FOR NEW YORK

American Freighter Robin Goodfellow Calls at Whalen Mill—Company Looks for Steamer Every Month

QUATSINO, Dec. 1.—The steamship Robin Goodfellow, 10,000 tons, of the Canadian Lumber Co., which just loaded a cargo of pulp at the Port Alice mill for New York via the Panama Canal, is the largest vessel ever to enter these waters. She was brought to her berth by the Pilot-Jack Barber, passing from Entrance Island Light to the dock in about three hours, showing that vessels of this size can now be safely run in getting about in Quatsino Sound.

While here she loaded 3,200 tons of snow-white pulp for New York. She had already taken on one thousand tons at Vancouver from the Swanson Bay mills. The Whalen Pulp & Paper Company was the shipper in each case.

The last thing in American freighters launched eighteen months ago. She is a solid oil-burner, with refrigerated space, machine shop and the like. She steams at a sea speed of twelve knots.

The Whalen Company hopes to load one of the ships of this line every month. Captain F. J. Johnson is the commanding officer of the Queen City, being heard before Mr. Justice Macdonald. The claim is for the amount of a policy of marine insurance which had been paid over to the Pacific Mills, Ltd., on 3,000 barrels of lime, shipped in November of last year, from Hubber Bay to Ocean Park, on the Queen City, bound to the Esquimalt company.

The insurance company claims that both the owners of the barge and the shippers knew that the Queen City had been surveyed and reported unserviceable just before the cargo was taken aboard.

A wireless message from the Algoma last night advised that the strong westerly wind and heavy, rough sea prevailing had made tiding impossible.

The Tolmie had to wait for the night with the Algoma standing by, six miles southwest of Race Rocks, until the weather should moderate.

It is considered probable that the two ships will get in about nine o'clock this morning. The Tolmie will be taken to Esquimalt.

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SYDNEY, N.S., Dec. 1.—Sydney G.W.V.A. voted solidly for the utilization of the \$2,000,000 canteen profits fund as a nucleus for a system of old-age pensions for returned soldiers in their annual meeting here.

What's at the Playhouses?**CANADA'S ORGANS****BEST ON CONTINENT**

Joseph Bonnet, Famous French Organist Who Is Playing at Metropolitan Tonight, Refers to Instruments

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTSThe Stage
Princess — "A Bachelor's Bonmance."The Screen
Captain—"The Sheik."

Dominion—Douglas MacLean in "Passin' Thru."

Columbia—"The Shark Master."

Vortex—"Paid in Advance."

Royal—"Earthbound"

"Canada builds the finest organs on this continent," stated Joseph Bonnet, the French organist who arrived in the city yesterday afternoon to give a recital this evening at the Metropolitan Methodist Church. Mr. Bonnet is making his fifth tour of North America, although it is his first visit to Victoria, and his extensive knowledge of the organs of both the United States and Canada makes him well-groomed, comment quite complimentary to the organ builders north of the international boundary. When seen by The Colonist reporter the famous organist had already been out to the Metropolitan Church to try the instrument on which he is to play tonight, and pronounced it to be a very fine organ, while the acoustics of the building he also considered quite good, at least in its then empty state. "Carpet and rug, big audiences, will sometimes very notably affect the acoustics of a hall," he commented.

M. Bonnet spoke of the effect of the war on music. It was notable that in the fighting ranks between 1914 and 1918, the toll of musicians was comparatively small. Why was this? Perhaps because the particular ability of writers made them much more likely to hold commissions in the army which took them into the front line of the fighting.

Mr. Bonnet went over to the chapel of St. Ann's Academy and gave a short private recital on the two-manual organ there, the audience being composed of the sisters of St. Ann and the Academy pupils. The concert was arranged at the request of Dr. E. P. Sehl, and was preceded by a series of numbers played by M. Bonnet's Romance Sans Paroles and the Berceuse which he is including on his programme at the Metropolitan Church tonight; also Padre Martin's "Gavotte," Couperin's "Sour Monique," Purcell's "Trumpet Tune," All Saints' Hymn.

From here the well-known organist is going to Portland, thence to Salt Lake City and other American cities, terminating his European tour when he sails for Europe on April 15. It is interesting to learn that he has not given concert tours in Europe since the commencement of the war. He was invited to Austria to give a recital, being offered \$6,000 kronen for a single programme. But at the present rate of exchange the offer was not worth consideration.

ROYAL The epoch making motion picture production, "Earthbound," will be shown again today at the Royal Victoria Theatre. In making this announcement no words of praise can do justice to the magnificence and loveliness of this master production. Its theme was the awe-inspiring appeal of glories and beauty; in treatment it was majestic; in style, it reached the height of grandeur. Nothing approaching it has ever been offered to the public. Never has the cinema delivered a more eloquent message. Never has the screen reflected an artistic triumph of more significant proportions. You must see "Earthbound."

COLUMBIA It is doubtful if any THEATRE photoplay of the South Sea Islands has ever been so rich in atmospheric touches and so absolutely perfect as is "The Shark Master," the Universal picture starring Frank Mayo, now holding the screen at the Columbia for the balance of the week. In his desire to secure the correct atmosphere for "The Shark Master," Fred Leroy Granville, the director, spent four months in filling the picture with scenes of tropical life. The coast were transformed to represent tropical beaches. Locations were used near Balboa, on the rocky shores near Laguna Beach, on the windward side of Catalina Island and on the beaches of the Santa Cruz Islands. In the making of the picture an old oiler liner was bought up, the water's edge and sunk in the ocean. A trout yacht was chartered for four weeks, while several weeks were spent on a schooner miles from shore to await a gale of sufficient velocity to securer a desired scene.

VARIETY The manners and customs of the French Canadian and Indian mixed breeds in the fur districts of Canada, and the life of the miners during the gold rush in the Yukon, are faithfully portrayed in "Paid in Advance," the new Universal Jewel production, showing today at the Variety Theatre. Dorothy Phillips, star of "The Heart of Humanity," is the leading woman.

CAPITOL Bringing not only the desert to the screen is the accomplishment of the production staff in the filming of George Melford's latest Paramount production, "The Sheik," which will be shown at the Capitol Theatre all week, with Agnes Ayres and Rudolph Valentino. The feature consists of a complete desert village at a picture studio in Hollywood. Picturesquely Arabic and technically perfect, it represents one of the most notable achievements in present day picture-making. The two soloists at the Capitol will consist of Miss Hilda Lewis, dramatic soprano, and Mr. Mandley Wells, the popular bass baritone. Their various numbers are artistically rendered and are sure to please.

CHARGES AGAINST WINDSOR MAN WINSTON, Ont., Dec. 1.—Charged with espionage and treason, an armed gang to attack and rob the provincial liquor house, Basil Hammon, star witness in the defense of Rev. Mr. Spraklin, when the Sandwich pastor was on trial for manslaughter of Beverly Trumble, is held at police headquarters, bail being denied yesterday.

The Lord's Prayer has been carved on a piece of wood only one quarter of an inch square.

**TELLS CONDITIONS
IN SOVIET RUSSIA**

Mr. J. Knight Lauds Present Administration—Says No Other Government More Permanent—Plea for Relief

Conditions in Soviet Russia were described by Mr. J. Knight, representative of the Soviet Red Cross, in an address to a mass meeting held in the Trades Hall, Broad Street, Wednesday evening. The hall, which holds over five hundred people, was well filled, and the speaker's declaration in favor of the existing system in Russia brought enthusiastic applause.

The famine horrors were told by Mr. Knight, and at the conclusion of his address a collection was taken up as a contribution to the Famine Fund. The speaker, who spent five months in Russia, claimed that existing conditions were not as bad as they were, but to other influences over which the administration had no control. No administration was more stable or more permanently established than in Russia.

The Russian system of education was described by the speaker, who declared it to be the finest in the world. Six thousand schools had been established from 1917 to 1921, he said. The Russian people had been hungry for years, but had been willing to cut down on their own rations that the children, the army and the artists might be able to secure sufficient food. The people took satisfaction from the knowledge that there were no one gathering at their homes and the while they suffered together at the present time they would share equally of the abundance of the future.

FRENCH ARMY PLAN PROVIDES 649,000 MEN

PARIS, Dec. 1.—The strength of France's army was given as \$18,000 of October 1, by the report of the army commission made before the war. The report was made public today. The report was made public in connection with the Government's proposed law calling the class of 1922 to the colors in two contingents, one next May and the other next November.

The report said a considerable part of the class of 1919 had returned to their homes on crutches, long-term and permanent leave, making the active forces in uniform 600,000 or upwards, the balance subject to immediate recall.

The commission estimates that the Government plan, which is recommended for adoption, would, through the release of various contingents of the class of 1920 and the incorporation of the class of 1922 during next year, give a strength of 649,000 men in the Spring.

U.S. STEEL COMPANIES ARRANGING MERGER

The Ladies' Musical Club had no occasion yet this season, either at its monthly Saturday afternoon musicals or at its regular evening entertainments, to complain of lack of public interest. The Empress ballroom was again filled to overflowing Wednesday evening for their second big programme of the year, and the audience was unanimous in its approval of the great variety of the program.

The capitalization of the various companies involved in the proposed consolidation approximates \$100,000,000, and the products of the various companies cover almost every branch of the steel and iron industry.

The companies named comprise the Midvale, Steel & Ordnance Company, the Republic Iron and Tube Company, Laclede Steel Company, Bessemer Steel Company, Birmingham Steel Company, and the Steel & Tube Company of America.

This consolidation, if effected, will be second in importance to the United States Steel Corporation, now the dominant organization in the industry.

GERMAN MARK MAKES ADVANCE IN LONDON

LONDON, Dec. 1.—German marks under further marked recovery on the foreign exchange market this morning. Heavy buying sent the rate to 750 to the pound sterling against yesterday's rate of 760.

The recovery was assisted by optimism regarding the negotiations now proceeding between Dr. Rathenau, former German minister of reconstruction, and the financial heads of the British Government in regard to Germany's forthcoming reparations payment and the possibility of a moratorium.

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The lowering of the tariff would seriously affect the exchange by increasing the purchases of Canada in the United States.

The effect of free trade on industry by the effect it has on the timber, wine and barley industries. Both of these articles of manufacture were placed on the free list when there were several factories in Canada making them, and it was not long before the timber factories were closed, twine right to three, and the barley and wine industry has become almost a monopoly of the United States.

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"Tanacs I only weighed one hundred and twenty-four pounds when I came to Canada," said J. E. Nelson, auctioneer, living at 614 Tenth Avenue North, Seattle, Wash.

"Three years ago," said Mr. Nelson, "when I began taking Tanacs I could scarcely eat anything. What little I did manage to eat did more harm than good, and after starving to death for lack of nourishment often I got so weak and short of breath I had to stop and rest, and after lying off a lot of furniture I was completely exhausted. I had rheumatism so bad it seemed that every bone, muscle and joint in my body ached. I had terrible headaches and my back hurt so bad I could scarcely sleep over."

"Tanacs soon made me as sound and healthy as a man could be, and I've kept in fine shape ever since. Tanacs certainly did fine work for me and I'm now getting a bottle for myself. She's all run down and suffering from degeneration, and I'm satisfied that in a little while she will be all right."

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**TARIFF CHIEF
ELECTION ISSUE**

Dr. S. F. Tolmie Speaks to Saanich Electors, Pointing Out Evils That Would Follow Reductions in Duties

Speaking at the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Wednesday evening, Dr. Tolmie said that the country is faced today with a peculiar situation brought about by a third party in the trades. The hall, which holds over five hundred people, was well filled, and the speaker's declaration in favor of the existing system in Russia brought enthusiastic applause.

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MAINLAND MOTORISTS OPPOSE LICENCE TAX

Vancouver and New Westminster Support Local Automobile Club in Protesting Against Increased Taxation

MOTORISTS IN THE PROVINCE ARE GENERALLY AROUSED OVER THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSAL TO RAISE THE LICENCE FEE ON MOTOR CARS.

SOME TEN DAYS AGO A VERY STRONG AND REPRESENTATIVE DELEGATION WHICH WAS ORGANIZED BY THE LOCAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB, WAITED UPON THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL AND ENTERED A STRONG PROTEST AGAINST THE IMPOSITION OF THIS ADDITIONAL TAX. THIS WAS FOLLOWED BY A MEMORANDUM SUBMITTED TO THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE IN WHICH THE VIEWS OF THE MOTORIST WERE SET FORTH.

SECRETARY R. R. WEBB, OF THE VICTORIA CLUB, RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING WIRE FROM THE AUTOMOBILE AND TRUCK OWNERS OF NEW WESTMINSTER AND VICTORIA, WHO RECORD THEIR OPPOSITION TO THE INCREASE IN THE MOTOR LICENSE FEE:

"WHEREAS, AT A MEETING OF THE AUTOMOBILE AND TRUCK OWNERS OF THE CITIES OF VICTORIA AND NEW WESTMINSTER, WHO, WITH VICTORIA, CONTRIBUTE SEVEN-THIRDS OF THE POPULATION OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA; AND WHEREAS THE VERY SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN AUTO FEES FOR 1921 WAS ACCORDED TO THE UNDERSTANDING THAT SAME WAS TO BE CAPITALIZED IN ORDER TO PROVIDE A CAPITAL FUND FOR PERSONAL AUTOMOBILE OWNERSHIP; AND WHEREAS THIS INCREASED REVENUE HAS NOT YET BEEN CONSUMED IN THE MANNER SPECIFIED; AND WHEREAS IT IS NOT JUST THAT AUTO OWNERS SHOULD BE SINGLED OUT AND BURDENED WITH AN EXTRA TAX TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL REVENUE; BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT THIS

MEETING GO ON RECORD AS STRONGLY OPPOSING ANY FURTHER INCREASE IN MOTOR LICENSE FEES.—Vancouver Automobile Club."

IT IS POINTED OUT BY LOCAL MOTOR OFFICIALS THAT THE AUTOMOBILE MEN ARE BEING TAXED THE GREATEST IN THE DOMINION OF CANADA AT PRESENT, AND THE TAX IS NOW AS MUCH AS HE CAN PAY. THE OWNER OF THE AUTOMOBILE IS NO LONGER A LUXURY, BUT A NECESSITY IN ALMOST EVERY CASE, AND THE OWNER SHOULD NOT BE SINGLED OUT TO PROVIDE NEW SOURCES OF REVENUE WHENEVER ADDITIONAL NEW REVENUE IS REQUIRED. IT DOES NOT MATTER WHETHER THE INCREASE IS CAPITALIZED OR WHETHER IT IS RETAINED BY THE GOVERNMENT, FOR THE FACT REMAINS THAT THE CAR OWNER IS CALLED UPON TO PAY A LARGER SHARE THAN EVER."

OFFICIALS DISPOSE OF KITCHENER STORY

LONDON, Dec. 1.—The War Office has decided to have a hearing to this morning that Lord Kitchener, who was lost in the North Sea when H.M.S. Hampshire was sunk, was betrayed by a female German spy, which is the subject of the film held up by the London board of censors.

The War Office admits that a German woman, Else Boecker, is boasting in Berlin that she got 10,000 marks for giving information about the achievement, but points out that she was sentenced in London to two months' imprisonment one month before the Hampshire sailed, and long before the arrangements for the journey were made.

Indeed, says the War Office, she was never again in liberty in this country.

AUSTRALIA TO GIVE FOODS

LONDON, Dec. 1.—A cable from the Reuter correspondent at Melbourne says that Premier Hughes has announced to the Australian House of Representatives that the Government has decided to contribute £250,000 worth of meat and wheat to relieve the starving people of Central Europe.

SAYS VICTORY BONDS WERE A BIG SCANDAL

Mr. William Ivel, Liberal Candidate, Addresses Small Gathering of Ward Three Electors—Other Speakers,

"One of the biggest scandals in Canada took place when the Meighen Government issued non-taxable Victory Bonds to pay for a war debt when the bonds were going into the pockets of those who profited at the time many of Canada's noblest men sacrificed their lives in Europe," Mr. William Ivel stated Wednesday night when addressing a gathering of electors of Ward Three in the Oaklands School.

Mr. Henry Norman presided. Other speakers were Mr. J. B. Clearihue, M.P.P., and Mr. C. H. O'Halloran.

"Our policy of protection is solely

a protection for revenue and the agression of the common people against the big interests who have been exploiting the inhabitants of this Dominion," the candidate declared.

Mr. Ivel said that his opponents were stooping very low when they charged the Liberals with being disloyal or unpatriotic, the speaker especially referring to remarks made at an Unlucky meeting on Tuesday night by Mr. Vankel. "It is regrettable to think that the Government supporters would characterize their opponents as such because they happen to be Liberal," he said.

Mr. Roger Berry, who was in the audience, stood up and said that the gentleman who had made the remarks in the city about disloyalty would be challenged by him in the near future.

THREE IMPORTANT MATTERS

Continuing after the interruption, Mr. Ivel said that three important matters were to be looked into—the drydock, the C.N.R. terminals and the Outer Wharves. He claimed that the Laurier Naval Policy included the construction of a drydock at Esquimalt, and the establishment of the nucleus of a navy there. He said the reason for the Liberals opposing the present site of the project was because the Government had purchased a portion of land, had paid for it and then turned around and bought another site, which they are at present utilizing for that purpose.

Mr. Ivel asserted that the Liberals wanted ultimate free trade with Great Britain, were in favor of making the preference tariff 50 per cent. He thought that this should be developed within the Empire. He said the Liberal policy on the tariff and labor questions, pointing out to an inquirer in the audience that he stood for a minimum wage for men as well as women. He closed with an appeal for support on December 6.

SAYS TOO MUCH RED TAPE

Mr. J. B. Clearihue, M.P.P., spoke on the Government's policy towards the returning soldiers which, he claimed, had proved really inadequate to meet the needs. He agreed with the trouble with the S.C.R. and the Soldier Settlement Boards was that there were too many officials and too much red tape with their regulations.

"Instead of there being too much money spent for the returned men, there is far too much spent on the Board's employment and administration of the moneys," said Mr. Clearihue.

"Dr. Tolmie is a man of high repute, but you will have to go a long way to find a better man than our candidate, William Ivel. His qualifications, integrity and character are equal to those of his opponent, and I ask the electors to give him a chance to show his ability at Ottawa." Mr. Clearihue went on insisting that a vote for him would be in the interests of the whole of Canada.

Mr. H. C. O'Halloran referred to the twenty seats in which by-elections have been held since the Government has been in power. Fifteen of these constituencies were fairly held by the Government, but, besides, there can only boast of seven out of the twenty ridings. "That is a sign that the Meighen crew is doomed to defeat, which will take place on Tuesday next," he said.

**INSTITUTE HOLDS
MONTHLY MEETING**

Strawberry Vale Organization Completes Arrangements for Bazaar to Be Held Next Wednesday

The Strawberry Vale Women's Institute held its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance despite the bad weather.

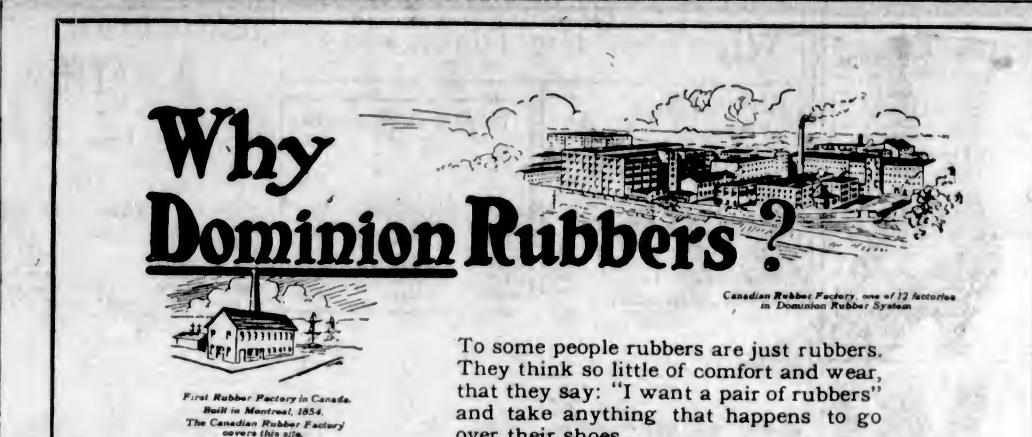
Routine business being put through very quickly, final arrangements were made for the forthcoming bazaar to be held on Wednesday, December 7, in Marigold Hall at 2:30 p.m. All kinds of useful and fancy articles will be on sale, and the public is invited to come and inspect our stalls before purchasing Christmas gifts elsewhere.

A practical demonstration of first aid was very ably given by Miss Carter, head of the Saanich branch. Vocational training in tailoring, police work, etc., also to be continued in the new year, the members being greatly interested in this work.

The next meeting of this Institute is arranged for Thursday, December 29, at which will take place the annual election of officers.

**ELK INCREASING
AROUND QUATSINO**

QUATSINO, Dec. 1.—Hundreds of elk have been seen lately here at the end of the Southeast arm. The Whalen Company logged off about four hundred acres last year at this point, their favorite winter quarters, and it has given the animals a better opportunity to exist. With a little care the band might be increased to a good size. At the present time it



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BAZAR AT NURSES' HOME ON SATURDAY

Dr. O. M. Jones, Chapter, I.O.D.E., Arranges for Sale of Work at Jubilee Hospital

Tomorrow afternoon a bazaar will be held at the Nurses' Home of the Jubilee Hospital, under the auspices of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., for the benefit of the Milk Fund. Mrs. Croft will open the affair at 3 o'clock. From time past the members of the Chapter have been working most energetically for the sale, and the many dainty and useful articles exhibited show the results of their labor.

A very delightful musical program will be included in the afternoon's event, including solos from Misses E. E. Chapman, Miss Winnifred Bell, Miss Richards and an instrumental solo from Mrs. Conyers.

Tea will be served, and Mrs. Wright and Miss A. B. Cooke will read the

fortunes of their visitors in the tea leaves.

Of special interest to the little people will be the visit of Santa Claus, and a happy hour, which will be in the hands of the Brown Owls and their leader, the Brown Owl, and all the kiddies who are present will be assured of an enjoyable time.

Dominion Notes

OTTAWA, Nov. 30.—Dominion home circulation totalled \$253,718,052 on November 23, according to a statement made by the Finance Department today. It was backed by gold to the amount of \$50,714,212, and by deposits of approved securities to the extent of another \$135,687,741.

Distribution of Savings

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Accumulated savings of various Christmas savings funds amounting to \$150,000,000 will be distributed next week among 6,000 banks in approximately 4,000 banks throughout the country, it was estimated here today.

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Mrs. Margaret Jenkins declared the sale opened at 2:30 o'clock, and was presided over by Mrs. Mary Holt, president, and a bouquet of chrysanthemums and carnations, tied with the Order's colors of scarlet, gold and green. Mrs. Denyer proved a very capable con-

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Infants' Sandals and Ankle Straps	50c
Children's \$3.00 to \$5.00 Shoes. Broken Lines	\$1.45
Children's Sandals and Strap Slippers	.95c
Whittemore's Combination Polish. Reg. 35c.	15c

Men's \$10.00 Shoes



\$5.40



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Men's \$15.00
Shoes

Women's \$8 to \$15
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\$1.80

Women's \$10 to \$18
Boots, Oxfords and Pumps. Some are full lines.

\$5.40

Women's \$9 to \$15
Boots, Oxfords and Pumps. Broken lines.

\$3.80

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\$795 DODGE, late model, 4-passenger, in exceptionally good condition. This car has very good tires, good running gear, full set of side curtains, and it is equipped with numerous extra conveniences, such as cigar lighter, etc. The motor runs equal to new.**\$875** CHEVROLET, 4-passenger, in excellent condition. This car is a late model, and has very good tires, good running gear, and the motor runs equal to new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$895** CHEVROLET, 4-passenger, in excellent condition. It is a late model, and it has had the very best care. The tires run like new, and runs absolutely as good as new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$872** OVERLAND, 1918 model, 4-door sedan, in excellent condition. It has very good tires, and the motor runs equal to new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$895** CHEVROLET, 4-passenger, in excellent condition. It is a late model, and it has had the very best care. The tires run like new, and runs absolutely as good as new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$825** 1918 MODEL Ford, 2-seater, in excellent running order. This is a good, strong and reliable car, with good tires, and the motor runs equal to new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$175** OVERLAND, 1918 model, 4-door sedan, in excellent condition. This is a good, strong and reliable car, with good tires, and the motor runs equal to new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$150** OVERLAND, 1918 model, 4-door sedan, in excellent condition. This is a good, strong and reliable car, with good tires, and the motor runs equal to new. Very easy terms arranged.**\$150** CYCLES AND MOTORCYCLES 29

UNCALLED for Perfect bicycle, \$15.00, new tires, fully guaranteed. Victoria Cycle Works, 11 Johnson Street, four doors below Government Street. Phone 1252.

LOOK US UP
IF YOU ARE NEEDING
TOYS FOR XMAS GIFTWE ARE SELLING POWER DIGITALS
FOR \$1.00
Tires of all descriptions. Bellies, Shells, Ice Hockey Skates and Boots, Pucks and Sticks.NEW AND SECOND-HAND CYCLES
ATJIM BRYANTS
125 AND 227 JOHNSON, AT BROAD
Phone 7181

THE HOUSE OF SERVICES

LOST AND FOUND 32

LOST, in house—Fascal containing child's rubber and some odd brown shoes. Return to Watson's Shoe Store.

LONT—Wallet with money and valuable papers. Reward for return of same. Telephone 2010.

WE ARE SELLING POWER DIGITALS
FOR \$1.00

FOR STANCI and seal engraving; general stationery, etc. 118 Johnson Street. Crofters Green Bldg., 118 Broad Street.

J. W. HORN—Black and white English writer, answering to name of "Pai." Return to Jim Bryant, 118 Johnson Street.

LONT—Gold bar pin with chain in centre. Phone 45787. Reward.

LONT—Two terpsilins, on Colwood Road. Apply 611 Yates St. Phone 2142 7023. Reward.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES 34

REAL OPPORTUNITIES

A GOOD hotel, boarding house and general stores for sale, cheap. Details furnished.

GOOD apartment house proposition, which will hear strict investigation. Call 118 Johnson Street, producing 30% interest on investment. Apply 118 Johnson Street.

DO you want to get into a good place in mining proposition in Cariboo district with a good equipped plant bought and paid for? A million dollars. Call 118 Johnson Street, 118 Johnson Street, Victoria. A safe investment.

FOR Sale—Cafe, fine location in city. For full particulars, phone 45808.

If you have \$500 and want the assets of a business which your earnings may be limited by your own efforts, write Box 426, Colonist.

WANTED to purchase—Restaurant or a rooming house. Will pay cash for a good proposition up to \$2,000. Full particulars, in confidence, to Box 411, Colonist.

WE have a furnished office to rent. B.C. Permanent Loan Building.

WANTED to purchase—General store; one making about \$15,000 per annum; must be able to stand strict investigation. See Box 382, Colonist.

SUBURBAN BUSINESS WANTED

WE have two clients for a city and a suburban business with land.

What have you got?

WENDELL B. SHAW & CO.
205 Pemberton Block

\$1500 SMALL store, in growing agricultural district. Good shooting and fishing opportunities. Near church and school. Premium to rent or lease.

\$2500 HOME to buy in growing town. Carries general grocery trade. Residential district. Practically all cash trade. Other terms, prices and premises can be rented.

\$1500 CASH handles grocery with P.O. connection. Good living quarters. Splendid position. Substantial turnover.

BUTS gold strike oil ready to start development. Apply 118 Johnson Street. Phone 2142 7023.

For further particulars, price and terms of sale, see THE BUSINESS EXCHANGE

H. Synder, 118 Johnson Street. Phone 2142 7023.

TENDERS WANTED 34

WANTED—Tenders for clearing 4 acres of land. For particulars, phone 1000. Head 200.

BOATS AND LAUNCHES 36

LAUNCH for hire, short or long trips. Particulars and terms, phone 1000.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY 37

ADDING MACHINES

DALTON ADD. Machine—Only ten years old for sale. Good condition. Own office. United Typewriter Co. Ltd. 727 Fort Street, Victoria. Phone 4782.

AUTO RADIATORS AND FENDERS

AUTO Radiator and Fender Specialists

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ANYTHING in houses require alterations, repairs and renewals. Work guaranteed. Painting done. Estimates free. Phone 1754, Fort.

A NOTHER in building or repairing houses. 118 Johnson Street. Phone 3247.

BUILDING Work principally estimated. Alterations and repairs. Estimates guaranteed. Phone 3247.

HUNT & BLEACKLEY, carpenters and joiners, 118 Pandora Ave. Phone 3247. 1181. Reasonable rates.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY 27

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AUTOMOBILES

CAROLINE Oils, Accessories, Services

car, stoves & WHM, Ltd. Phone 2142 7023. 728 Broughton Street.

BABY CARRIAGES

BABY Carriages, go carts, etc.—A man-

plete line of high-grade stock always

on hand at lowest prices. Easy payment

and satisfaction guaranteed. Fletcher Bros.

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DYEING, cleaning, pressing and repairing

dry, tailors 421 Broughton Street. Phone 2142 7023.

DETECTIVE AGENCY

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Whitney Bldg., Victoria, J. Palmer, Manager.

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W.H. COOPER, 118 Johnson Street.

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TYPEWRITERS—New and second-hand.

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Plumbing, heating and sheet iron work.

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HAVE YOUR CARPETS WASHED

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METHOD—No dirt and dust, and

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Our work and service will please you.

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A BOY, for farm moving, packing, ship-

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FURNITURE

Furniture, pianos, beds, chairs, tables,

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BROKEN windows, leaded glass re-

paired, creased and shipped. All kinds of

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JAMES GREEN, gun maker, repairs and

alterations, cases gun stocks, bows,

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all kinds of firearms. 118 Johnson Street.

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KALSOMINING AND PAINTING

KALSOMINING, painting, enameling, re-

pairing, reasonable rates.

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Till 2 p.m.
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Till 12:45

Afternoon Tea Service
Orchestra
3 Till 5 p.m.

December Silk and Linen Sale And a Great Sale of Waists, Clothing and Shoes



A December Sale of Women's Tweed and Navy Serge Suits

Amazing Values at \$19.75

In this December offering of Women's Suits you are offered a most unusual bargain. Navy Serge Suits in the latest styles, and attractively trimmed with braid and buttons. They are well tailored, and many are shown in the latest novelty designs. Each represents a great bargain at.....\$19.75

Tweed Suits, exceptionally neat and superbly tailored. They are made of the best grade materials, in shades of grey and green mixtures; are neatly belted and have roll collars. Smart suits and money-saving values for you at.....\$19.75

Mante Dept., 1st Floor—Phone 1910

A December Sale of Hundreds of Silk and Satin Camisoles

Heavy Wash Satin Camisoles, hand-embroidered, and Crepe de Chine Camisoles, trimmed with lace and brocaded ribbon, on sale at.....\$1.90

Black Crepe de Chine Camisoles, made with short sleeves, on sale at...\$1.90

Heavy Satin Camisoles, with shaped yokes, and trimmed with embroidery and lace. Reg. \$3.75 value at...\$2.50

Heavy Satin Camisoles, with deep yoke and short sleeves of lace. Regular \$3.75 values at....\$2.50

Heavy Black Satin Camisoles, with yoke and sleeves of lace; a regular \$3.75 value at.....\$2.50

Camisoles of Silk, in shades of white, pink, navy and black. They are finished with ribbon straps, and big value at.....\$9.50

Camisoles of excellent grade wash satins, in white and pink, and in heavy habutai silk; each a bargain, \$1.25

Camisoles of excellent grade crepe de Chine and satins, trimmed with filet lace and satin ribbons; others of black silk with wide shoulder straps and trimmed with lace, on sale at, each.....\$1.50

Camisoles of satin, trimmed with lace; others of crepe de Chine, in several styles, at.....\$1.75

—Whitewear Dept., 1st Floor
Phone 1194

Women's Pure Wool "Mercury" Underwear—Great Value

Women's Pure Wool Cashmere "Mercury" Combinations, manufactured from the finest wool, in various styles, including short, long and no sleeves, ankle length. Sizes 36 to 42. Extra good value at, a suit.....\$6.75

Women's Pure Wool Cashmere "Mercury" Vests, elbow, short and no sleeves, low neck, slip-over styles; also high neck and long sleeves. Sizes 36 to 42. On sale at, each.....\$3.75

Women's Pure Wool "Mercury" Bloomers in cream only; elastic at waist and knee. Sizes 36 to 42, at, a pair.....\$2.90

Women's Pure Wool Cashmere "Mercury" Drawers, in open and closed styles; knee length only, at, a pair.....\$3.75

—Knitwear, 1st Floor—Phone 6596

Christmas Gift Opportunities in Women's and Children's Gloves

Children's Lined Mocha Gloves, grey or brown, and in excellent grade. Special at.....\$1.75

Boys' Gauntlet Gloves, well lined and fringed on cuffs and decorated with star; shown in tan shades; sizes 4 to 5 at, a pair.....\$1.75
In sizes 7 to 8 at, a pair.....\$1.95

Women's French Kid Gauntlet Gloves, of fine grade; a perfect fitting glove, in black, white, brown and grey, at.....\$1.75

Leatherette Gauntlet Gloves for motoring or driving; a close-fitting glove that washes well, and shown in shades of mastic, brown, grey, sand and natural. Regular \$2.75 value at, a pair.....\$2.00

Gloves, Main Floor

Mrs. Gertrude H. Brick will sing every afternoon from 3:30 to 5 o'clock in the Tearoom until December 6,

December Values in

Boys' Blue Serge Reefers

at
\$5.00

All-Wool Blue Serge Reefers, made in plain models, and having plain or velvet collars; sizes for 2 to 8 years; regular \$10.00 values, on sale at.....\$5.00
—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

Continuing Our December Sale of

Men's Wool OVERCOATS

At \$15.00 and \$25.00

The coats offered at these prices are made of the best grade wool materials, in the latest approved models, including single or double-breasted styles, half belters and standard models.

At \$15.00—There are light, medium or heavy weight coats, all-wool, check backs, in both conservative models. Sizes 34 to 40.

At \$25.00—You are offered a choice of all-wool coats, in which many styles and the most favorite shades are represented. Sizes for all. Big value at the price.

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



A December Sale of BLOUSES

Representing a great special purchase made by us for our three stores. All to be sold at practically 50 per cent below the usual prices.

Voile Blouses, in white and fancy color spots, in blouse and tie-back styles; all trimmed with tucks and lace. At less than manufacturers' prices—

At 68c, \$1.25 and \$1.95

Plain Silk Blouses, well made and very neat, a blouse in which you will realize perfect satisfaction. Wonderful value at 68c and.....\$98c

Silk Blouses, in plain and tailored styles; in shades of white and flesh. They have long sleeves and convertible collars, and offered at half price, for—

\$1.98, \$2.50 and \$2.95

Silk Blouses, patterned in black and white stripe, and plaids of many shades. They are made with long tuxedo collars and other pleasing styles, with long sleeves. Big values at.....\$3.75

Crepe de Chine Blouses, in very dainty over-blouse styles, and very fashionable. The materials are of best grade, and each blouse a great bargain. Values to \$12.50, on sale at.....\$5.90



—Blouses, 1st Floor—Phone 1010

A Great Sale of Boots and Shoes for Women and Children

Women's Fine Slippers, with turn soles and Louis heels, in grey and black Suede and black and brown kid. Values to \$12.00, on sale at.....\$8.95

Women's High-Grade Oxfords and Brogues, including Light Tan Calf Oxfords, with low or military heels; Stout Brown Grain Brogues and Grey Suede Brogues and Black Vici Kid Oxfords, with military heels. Values to \$12.00 at.....\$8.95

Women's Strap Pumps, with welted soles and military heels, in brown and black kid, brown and black calf, and Black Kid Strap Shoes, with leather Louis heels, and Gunmetal Oxfords. Regular values to \$10.00, on sale at.....\$7.45

Women's Brogue Oxfords and Strap Pumps, in brown kid, with military or low heels; Kid Oxfords, with welted soles and military heels, and many other popular styles. Values to \$8.50, on sale at.....\$6.45

Women's Brown Calf Strap Brogues, with strap over instep and large steel buckle on the vamp. English "K" make. Value to \$12.00, on sale at.....\$8.95

Misses' Brown Calf Blucher Boots and Box Calf Boots, high cut, and reliable in every way; sizes 11 to 2. Reg. \$4.50, at.....\$3.45

Women's Skating Boots, in high cut style, with inside ankle supports and outside strap and buckle. A perfect fitting boot, made by Canada's famous hockey boot maker. Regular \$6.00, on sale at.....\$4.95

Women's Black Kidskin and Brown Calfskin Two-Strap Pumps, with military heels; a perfect fitting last in widths; a very special purchase, and worth \$7.00 a pair, on sale at.....\$4.45

Children's "Hurlbut's" Patent Leather Button Boots; sizes 8 to 10½. Regular \$5.00, on sale at.....\$3.95

Misses' and Girls' Patent Leather Strap Pumps; sizes 8 to 2. Values \$3.50, on sale at.....\$2.45

Women's "Cumfy" Felt Slippers, in grey, brown, black, red and wine. Special, \$1.35

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Bargains in Women's Neckwear

New Lace and Organdie Collars, Sets and Vestees and Collars, in all the favorite shades, on sale at, each.....\$98c

Also New Organdie and Broderie Anglaise Collars. Special at.....\$75c

—Laces, Main Floor

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The Men's Furnishings Department Specials for the December Sale

Men's Print Negligee Shirts, patterned in fancy light stripes of blue, mauve and black, on white. They are made with starch collar band and soft double cuffs. Sizes 14 to 16 neck. Regular \$2.00 values at.....\$1.25

Men's Black Cashmere Socks. British make, all-wool mixture and medium weight; sizes 10, 10½ and 11. Regular value 75c, on sale at.....\$50c

Men's "Tiger" Brand Wool Mixture Heavy Weight Underwear; sizes 36 to 44 chest; regular values \$1.75 on sale at, a garment, \$98c

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Groceria Daily Bulletin

Royal Standard Flour, 40-lb. sack	42.50	Canadian Macaroni, 1-lb. pkg. at	14.40
National Dog Biscuits, large pkgs.	3.40	Carnation Milk, tall tins	14.50
Shelled Almonds, per lb.	.80	California Table Figs, pkg.	.80
Crystallized Ginger, per lb.	.30	Kelly Mincemeat, quart jars at	.88
Lux, per pkg.	.11	Sun-Maid Seedless Raisins, per lb.	.22
Silver Glass Starch, pkg.	11.50	Rogers' Syrup, 5-lb. tin	.40
Ginger Snaps, per lb.	.19	Snowflake Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack	.40

Royal Table Dates, pkg.	1.60	Provision Counter Bulletin	
No. 1 B. C. Jonathan Apples, per box.	12.50	Special Two Days' Demonstration of Swift's Products today and tomorrow on the Lower Main Floor:	
New Season's Smyrna Table Figs		Swift's Premium Hams, half or whole, at, lb.	.45c
3 Crown, per lb.	.56	Swift's Premium Bacon, half or whole, at, lb.	.55c
6 Crown, per lb.	.56	Swift's Premium Bacon, sliced, at, lb.	.58c
7 Crown, per lb.	.56	Swift's Pea-Meal Back Bacon, sliced, at, lb.	.50c
		In the piece, lb.	.45c
		Swift's Unsmoked Picnic Hams at, lb.	.18c
		Swift's Smoked Picnic Hams at, lb.	.20c
		Swift's Unsmoked Cottage Rolls, half or whole, at, lb.	.22c
		Swift's Smoked Cottage Rolls, half or whole, at, lb.	.25c
		Swift's Pure Lard at, lb.	.17c
		Or, 3 lbs. for.....	.49c
		Swift's Pure Lard, in cartons, at, each.	.20c
		Swift's Oleomargarine at, packet.	.24c
		Swift's Prime Cooked Hams at, lb.	.60c
		Swift's Baked Loaf at, lb.	.28c
		Swift's Ashland Cooked Ham at, lb.	.27c

—Provisions, Lower Main Floor

Grocery Delivery—Phones 2077-79

No. 1 B. C. Jonathan Apples, per box.	12.50	Raw Sugar for Xmas Baking, 2 lbs.	28.00
New Season's Smyrna Table Figs		Badger's Old Country Almond Paste, per tin	40.00
3 Crown, per lb.	.56	Morton's Old Country Citron Peel, per lb.	.56
6 Crown, per lb.	.56	Boiled Cider for Mincemeat, bottle	.56
7 Crown, per lb.	.56	Morton's Old Country Lemon and Orange Peel, per lb.	.56
		Spencer's China Tea, per lb.	.80
		Spencer's Darjeeling Blend Tea, per lb.	.75
		Brazil Nuts, per lb.	.40
		California Soft Shell Almonds, per lb.	.40
		Spencer's Extra Choice Ceylon Tea, per lb.	.60
		Bon-Ton Fancy Cluster Raisins, per lb.	.86
		Spencer's Ceylon Blend Tea, per lb.	.60

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Orchestra

December Silk and Linen Sale

And a Great Sale of Waists, Clothing and Shoes

Cream Irish Damask Cloths

Size 50 x 50 inches, great value at.....	\$1.50
Size 57 x 57 inches, great value at.....	\$2.00
Size 64 x 64 inches, great value at.....	\$2.50
Size 70 x 70 inches, great value at.....	\$3.00

Bleached Damask Cloths

Size 70 x 70 inches, great value at.....	\$2.85
Size 70 x 90 inches, great value at.....	\$3.65

Pure Irish Union Damask Cloths

Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....	\$3.95
Size 72 x 72 inches, great value at.....	\$4.95
Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....	\$6.35

Breakfast Napkins

Size 18 x 18 inches, great value at, a dozen.....	\$1.50
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Dinner Napkins

Size 20 x 20 inches, great value at, a dozen.....	\$3.75
Size 20 x 20 inches, great value at, a dozen.....	\$3.95
Size 22½ x 22½ inches, great value at, a dozen.....	\$6.75
Size 22½ x 22½ inches, great value at, a dozen.....	\$7.50

Highest Grade Damask Cloths

Treble Damasks—Fine Grade All Pure Irish Linen

Beautiful Designs

Size 72 x 72 inches, great value at.....	\$14.50
Size 72 x 72 inches, great value at.....	\$16.50
Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....	\$18.50
Size 72 x 90 inches, great value at.....	\$21.00
Size 72 x 108 inches, great value at.....	\$22.00
Size 25 x 25-inch Napkins to match at, a dozen.....	\$21.00

—Staple Dept., Lower Main Floor

Cream Irish Damask

Kitchen and Breakfast Cloths	
54-inch, excellent design, at, a yard.....	\$1.10
64-inch, excellent design, at, a yard.....	\$1.30
70-inch, excellent design, at, a yard.....	\$1.50

Bleached Damask—Extraordinary Values

54-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	.59c
64-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	.98c

Bleached Irish Damask—Many Designs

64-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	\$1.19
68-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	\$1.59
60-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	\$1.98
70-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	\$1.79
68-inch, great value, at, a yard.....	\$1.98

Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles

A few suggestions for early gift purchases at special sale prices:

Perfumes, an excellent assortment of gift perfumes in dainty boxes, at special prices, ranging up from.....	35c
Colognes and Lavender Water, very acceptable gifts; extra fine quality, 25c, 35c, 45c, 65c.....	75c
Gibbs' Soap Dotlets, one dozen fancy soaps in each box; \$1.00 size for.....	50c
Old English Sachet Bags, 50c value for.....	25c
Incense and Incense Burners; novelties for the Old Country and the East, at specially low prices.	
French Ivory Hair Brushes. A special line of \$6.75 values for.....	\$4.37
Also an excellent showing of a great number of various French Ivory articles, all specially priced.	

—Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles Section, Main Floor

December Sale of Rich Silks

An Opportunity to Purchase Materials for Evening Gowns, Dresses, Blouses and Lingerie at Prices

Amazingly Low

36-inch Chiffon Taffeta, of a clear, even weave and in a high-grade dye. A silk that makes up unusually well and one that will give great satisfaction. A regular \$2.75 value on sale at.....	\$1.59
36-inch Figured Satin of superior quality, and in distinctive patterns and a great diversity of colorings. A regular \$9.90 value.....	\$3.98
36-inch Black Pallette, of extra heavy weight and excellent texture, and will wear well and look well when made up in dresses or waists; black only. A regular \$2.50 value at.....	\$1.59
33-inch Natural Pongee of even weave and excellent weight. This is of exceptional worth for dresses or for children's wear. A regular \$1.50 value on sale at, a yard.....	\$1.00

36-Inch Tinsel Trimmed Gauzes and Brocades. Values \$27.50, on Sale at \$11.98

These are choicest fabrics, in richest designs and colorings, and in superb finish. The very highest grade of silk for distinctive evening gowns. Wonderful value at, a yard.....

—Silks, Main Floor—Phone 3283

Ideal Christmas Gifts

Tray Cloths

Size 16 x 24 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.25
Size 16 x 24 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.50
Size 18 x 27 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.00
Size 18 x 27 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.50

Scarves

Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.25
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.50
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.75
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.00
Size 18 x 36 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.25

Squares

Size 30 x 30 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$1.50
Size 30 x 30 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.00
Size 30 x 30 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.75
Size 45 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.00
Size 45 x 45 inches, pure quality, great value at, each.....	\$2.50

—Staple Dept., Main Floor—Phone 3283

Skirtings and Coatings

Exceptional Values in the Season's Latest Popularities

56-inch Skirtlings, in the most up-to-date plaid and stripe designs in a great assortment of shades, and are suitable for sports or street wear. Big values at, a yard, \$2.95; \$4.25 and.....

56-inch Heavy, Soft Finished Velour for women's and children's coats; shown in shades of kingfisher, Copenhagen, Pekin, taupe, mallow, brown, and reindeer, light brown and grey. Reg. \$6.75 at.....

—Dress Goods Dept., Main Floor—Phone 3283

Volland's Books for Children

\$1.75 Each

Volland's ideal is that books for children should contain nothing to cause fright, suggest pain, glorify mischief or condone cruelty. Volland's books help to make children happy.

Ragged Ann
Raggedy Andy
Friendly Fairies
The Perhappy Chaps
Kernel Cob and Little Sweet Miss Clover

Children's Books for \$1.00 Each

The Little Brown Bear
The Bam Bam Clock
Over the Rainbow Bridge
The Jolly Old Shadow Man
Little Sunny Stories

—Books, Lower Main Floor

See Preceding Page for Other Sale Bargains

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Fine Linen Madeiras

Doilies, Centres, Runners and Squares, in various sizes, slightly soiled from display, to go At HALF PRICE

Battenberg Runners, Drawnthread Runners. Great value at, each.....	45c
Battenberg Runners and Squares and Drawn-thread Squares. Great value at, each.....</	